



## Tower Views

Sit-Downs Not for Mules

Peace by Pain or Prayer

Better News, Better Views

Chrysler and the United Automobile Workers of America come to an agreement. Some 85,000 workers, affected in one way or another by the month-old sit-down-walk-out-and-wait-around strike, line up for a return to their jobs. Homer Martin, president of the union, indicates that automotive sit-downs are at an end in Michigan. Gov. Frank Murphy calls on executives of other automobile factories to iron out strike troubles affecting some 12,000 other workers. Several General Motors units resume work. Sit-downs apparently have reached a stand-still.

But while sit-downs settle up in the automotive field they receive a call down in the congressional field. The Congressmen, however, do not confine their rebuke to labor. Management also has its sit-down technique, represented by its stubbornness in the use of industrial espionage and its refusal to bargain collectively with a majority representation. Labor's use of the sit-down, on the other hand, is frowned upon because of its lack of responsibility, the opportunity it offers to minority radicals or irresponsible leaders to cripple management and labor alike. Any mule can start a sit-down, it seems.

Indeed, one mule is doing just that. New York newspapers carry a tale about Jack, the old army mule of the 62d Coast Artillery, located at Fort Totten, Queens, who persistently refuses to budge from the stall under the sun touches the meridian. No reasons are given. Likewise from Lansing, Mich., comes a story of some long-earred reasoning: Workers in the Olds motor plant finish the day shift ten minutes early, stage a mock sit-down just for fun. Others miss the fun but catch the idea. Presently the whole plant is closed and a related Fisher Body plant shuts down. The difficulty is straightened out over night, but the occasion illustrates the irresponsibility of the method and the danger inherent in it for all hands.

Thus far the sit-downs have been largely a rather strenuous gesture calling public attention to the union's intention to secure collective bargaining rights. Some day, however, a militant minority—perhaps communists, perhaps some other radicals—might seek control of the union as a step toward seizing the Government. What then? Thus far the general conduct of the sit-down in America has represented much better deportment than has usually accompanied this method in other countries.

But the public is relieved by the writing on the wall. Responsible union leaders, evidently recognizing the dynamite in the sit-down method, seem inclined to handle it with care; public opinion continues building up a demand that the Administration surround this high explosive with safety measures, and management tends to yield along the line of collective representation, showing an awareness of its own responsibility in keeping the tinder away from the powder. Apparently all concerned are resolved that the sit-down shall not become a blow-up.

America's "Twenty Years After," recalling vividly to general thought the sacrifices and the fatalities of the World War, offers an irresistible opportunity for the Emergency Peace Campaign to launch its "No Foreign War" crusade. Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd, and the Rev. Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick merge their voices on the aerial waves to stimulate an aroused public opinion demanding peace, calling for unity against war. It is easy to arouse indignation against war, but it is more difficult to awaken thought to withstand the suggestions constantly bombarding mankind with rumors of "the next war." But either the horrors of war itself, or an awakened spiritual consciousness rejecting the thought of war, will one day make the so-called "need for war" join the long list of superstitions which mankind has abandoned. It's a broad choice: suffering or spiritualizing. But it's a choice which inevitably will have to be made.

To act intelligently, men must be informed. Therefore, it behooves the public to demand of the press not only accurate reporting but wise adjudication of emphasis. J. Roscoe Drummond, executive editor of this newspaper, handling some of the new demands made on the press of today in an article appearing in the Weekly Magazine Section, sees two sets of possible alternatives by which the waning prestige of the nation's press may be recaptured. Either editorial and popular opinion must tend to unify or the editorial page will lose its pull. Either news columns must reach a balance of fair reporting and fair weighing of facts or it may expect to lose in editorial influence. To paraphrase an old adage: "How can I believe what you say (editorially) when what you say (reportorially) keeps ringing in my ear?"

## U. S. Textile Adviser Routs British Warning That Ruin Will Follow 40-Hour Week

Declares Experience Shows Industry Favors Shorter Hours—Anxiety Is Felt as to Japan's Stand on Curtailed Week

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor  
WASHINGTON, April 7.—The common cry of employers at the World Textile Conference here against the proposed 40-hour week for the textile industry was interrupted today by O. Max Gardner, former Governor of North Carolina, and spokesman for employers of the United States.

Ernest J. Martin, British wool textile manufacturer, had just finished telling the conference that the 40-hour week would only add to the problems of the industry by increasing prices and reducing consumption. Mr. Gardner rose to say that similar arguments were used in the United States for years against the 40-hour week, and added, "Most of us actually believed them." Experience under the NRA and since has demonstrated the wisdom of shorter hours, he declared.

"I think I am expressing the point of view of the entire textile industry of this country when I say that the industry's profits—in the years when there were profits—were not curtailed as a result of this universal action."

He admitted that the cutting of hours to 40 per week had had some effect on production costs, but pointed out that all employees were put on the "same competitive basis as to hours and wages."

In conclusion, Mr. Gardner told the conference that the entire American textile industry is in substantial support of the 40-hour week, collective bargaining, prohibition of child labor and outlawry of the third shift.

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## Battle on Court Is Soon to Shift To Senate Floor

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor  
WASHINGTON, April 7.—The move to bring the Supreme Court debate up for final settlement on the floor of the Senate made headway today.

Senator Edward R. Burke (D) of Nebraska, leader in the fight against the President's court plan, said he believed committee hearings could be concluded in a week or ten days.

The Burke statement followed yesterday's move by Senator James H. Hughes (D) of Delaware to end the hearings in less than a week. Private polls of the Judiciary Committee show a majority feel hearings should end soon, and that the curtain should rise shortly on the "third act."

As they expressed it, the first act was the public and newspaper discussion following Mr. Roosevelt's proposal; the second act the formal presentation of testimony by expert witnesses, now going on; and the third and concluding act, the congressional debate leading up to a vote.

Senator Burke said today the opposition has half a dozen important witnesses still to be heard, but he did not favor stretching out hearings unnecessarily.

Should the committee end open hearings next week or shortly thereafter it would then go into executive session for at least two weeks for preparation of a report and bill to the Senate. That would place the start of the big Senate debate early in May.

An incentive for terminating committee hearings is the growing restiveness of the House. The lower chamber prepared to get back into action by taking up the Sumners bill permitting the Federal Government to intervene in lower court cases affecting the validity of acts of Congress—one of the points raised in the bill.

Dean Ignatius M. Wilkinson of the Fordham University law school told the Senate Committee that the President's plan was of "doubtful constitutionality" and would injure "very court in America." The effects of the proposal, he argued, could not be limited to the Supreme Court.

He asked whether the measure was "a constitutional attempt to pack the court or an unconstitutional measure to push the older justices into retirement."

Dean Wilkinson cited as major points against the bill, that the addition of justices is unnecessary to enable the court to keep up with its work; that the plan will tend to undermine independence of all courts; that the precedent may be

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## New Problems Face President On Work Relief

Various Groups Each With Its Ax to Grind Seeks to Influence Use

## Farmers Urge Cut

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Various blocs are beginning to form on Capitol Hill proposing to add to, subtract from and divide the \$1,200,000,000 work relief appropriation President Roosevelt is expected to request of Congress in about a week.

Angry over the threat of new taxes to keep the budget within Treasury estimates, one congressional group is marshaling forces to demand a cut in relief expenditures in the coming fiscal year. This bloc, made up largely of members from farm areas, argues that recovery has advanced to a point where Government aid is hindering rather than helping by luring workers to stay on relief rolls instead of accepting private employment. Especially, they say, is this true of farm labor.

He asked, "What is Japan going to do about the hours of work? Now that we are looking forward to a 40-hour week in the textile industry are we going to meet with the same kind of disappointment that we suffered when hours of work were discussed in this same city 18 years ago?"

He went on to explain that the International Labor Conference here in 1919 adopted an eight-hour day and 48-hour week as the general rule, but made special concessions to certain countries, particularly India and Japan. He claimed that Japan has not even conformed to that first convention. "I hope," he declared, "that his-

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## Needs Sure Pilot

Whether President Roosevelt will be able to steer his proposed 1937 relief program through these various shoals remains to be seen. He already has on his desk a memorandum from the United States Conference of Mayors insisting that \$2,200,000,000 will be necessary to take care of the relief cases needing attention during the next year on the present average federal cost per month per worker.

Another story was brought to WPA headquarters yesterday by officials of the Workers' Alliance of America. They told Harry L. Hopkins, WPA administrator, that there is immediate need for a 20 per cent increase in the monthly wages of relief workers to enable them to meet the rising cost of living. This group has been fostering WPA strikes in different parts of the country in an effort to get higher wages.

Another important development in the relief situation was the reconciliation of Harold L. Ickes, Public Works Administrator, to the idea that WPA is through as far as recovery purposes are concerned. Mr. Ickes has long stood firm in favor of WPA type of heavy construction projects over WPA.

Ickes is in Agreement  
President Roosevelt explained at a recent press conference that he was opposed to putting more money into a PWA program requiring large purchases of durable goods such as cement and steel. Government purchases of these materials only serve to throw the production-consump-

tionist into a vicious circle. He said he had taken up new positions west of Durango.

These successes were characterized as "a foot in the half-open door" of the Basque Province, laying the road to Bilbao and the sea open to General Mola's legions on the seventh day of their offensive.

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## Economics in the News

More on Durable Goods—Their Greater Rise in Production Than Consumption Goods—Is This a 'Danger Sign'?

By H. B. E.

In Monday's article we saw the background of the President's apprehension about the higher rise in the output of durable goods than of consumption goods. I hadn't the space to record what is happening today. The "Iron Age" puts out an index of capital or durable goods, it is made up of weekly ingots, lumber, automobiles, construction contracts, and productive activity in the Pittsburgh district.

This index has been rising sharply since the beginning of 1935. In mid-January it reached a peak of about five sevenths of 1929 activity. Since then the index has fallen to about three fourths of the 1929 level, where it is today. Now the President says that the greater rise in output of durable goods constitutes a "danger sign."

It would ill become this column to bemoan the rate of increase in the provision of durable goods. At the beginning of 1936 and again at the beginning of this year, I noted the rise in activity of durable goods production as a "hopeful sign"—a hopeful sign of the progressive absorption of the workless. I still do. For the great bulk of the joblessness is to be found in the durable goods industries, which, having had a greater depression, always have a greater climb than consumption goods industries.

Of late months those industries have been making a valiant contribution to re-employment. Within the 12 months ended in February no fewer than 1,550,000 went back to work. Many, many thousands more would be working today if there had been a real policy adopted to bridge the yawning gap between the relief system and work. But, as Turner Catledge and Joseph W. Alsop, in the current Saturday Evening Post, say, being on relief has come to be "as much of an occupation as being in the army," and "we are creating a permanent way of life for the reliefers." Many more thousands would have found work if they had filled the yawning gap between the relief system and work. But, as Turner Catledge and Joseph W. Alsop, in the current Saturday Evening Post, say, being on relief has come to be "as much of an occupation as being in the army," and "we are creating a permanent way of life for the reliefers." 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## Britain Pushes Bill to Build Industries in Depressed Areas

**LONDON, April 7**—The special areas amendment bill—the measure designed to set up new industries in sections affected by the closing down of former plants—passed its second reading in the House of Commons yesterday, thus assuring its reaching the statute book.

The bill is part of the Government schemes which have been so warmly debated in the House of Commons. The proposals call for the expenditure of £11,000,000 to assist the establishment of new industries and to finance the work of a proposed royal commission which would distribute factories throughout Britain more evenly than is now the case. Included in the program would be the setting up of a tribunal to determine reasonable compensation for landlords whose rents from the collieries are to be nationalized.

The new industries are to help to provide employment for some 500,000 workers who have become permanently unemployed owing to the closing down of mines and factories during the slump, particularly in South Wales, Durham, Sutherland and South Scotland.

There has been much criticism of these proposals, the Opposition making their alleged inadequacy the

basis of prolonged attacks upon the Baldwin Government.

Labor M. P.'s have chiefly relied in these criticisms upon comparisons between the smallness of the official grants made to these "special" areas and the immense sums which the Government is spending upon unproductive armaments.

That veteran statesman, Mr. David Lloyd George, who has supported the complaint, has made an individual proposal. He has produced detailed facts and figures to show the possibility of transferring a large proportion of the workless to the land, thereby increasing the supply of home-raised food.

In this connection he has contrasted the 10,000,000 persons now employed in agriculture in Germany with the corresponding number in Britain which he places at only about 1,000,000 as more than 200,000 have left the soil since 1921.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, who replied for the Government, was more hopeful. Although progress in the providing of employment in the special areas was necessarily slow, he said, it was now proceeding at an increasing pace and the Government had reason to think it would go on with satisfactory results.

A half million persons could not be put on the land without a very considerable artificial rise in agricultural prices, he said. Any cutting down of imports to bring about such rise would so injure the purchasing power of the countries of supply as to put out of work more British people in industrial occupations than could be provided with employment in agriculture, Mr. Chamberlain contended.

### British Destroyer Sent to Mallorca

**LONDON, April 7 (P)**—Great Britain dispatched a destroyer post-haste to the Spanish insurgent island of Mallorca today to demand quick and satisfactory explanation for a double aerial attack on one of Britain's warships.

The destroyer Garland cut through the Mediterranean under forced draft toward Palma, Mallorca, to get an answer for yesterday's attacks, by an insurgent bombing squadron, on another British destroyer—the Gallant, off the east coast of Spain.

The captain of the Gallant, together with the British vice consul at Mallorca, will demand an explanation. If it is not satisfactory to the British, a formal protest is likely to follow, informed sources said.

**MADRID, April 7 (P)**—A force of Government soldiers stormed the heights of Mt. Chimirra in Cordoba Province, it was reported today, and put their insurgent foes to rout.

## 'Ready, Set, Go'—And Model Yachts Are Off



Wide World  
Start of Trial Run in California  
Young Yachtsmen of Southern California Are Shown as They Prepared Their Craft for a Trial Run on the Olympic Rowing Course at Long Beach. The Model Star Boats Are From 40 to 50 Inches in Length and Will Compete in the Second Annual Southern California Model Yacht Club Championships on April 17.

## Ontario Schools to Balance Social and Natural Science

**TORONTO**—Beginning next autumn, Ontario will offer four separate high school courses, which will be complete in themselves, rather than simply preludes to university work. These announcements were made by Dr. L. J. Simpson, Minister of Education, in his addresses at the recent 76th annual convention here of the Ontario Educational Association, attended by over 4000 teachers, trustees, inspectors, members of Home and School clubs, school administrators and officials.

That the general trend of education is toward a balance between social and natural sciences is apparent both from the plan for revision of studies outlined by Dr. George F. Rogers, Chief Inspector of secondary schools, and that announced by Dr. Simpson, the latter pointing out that the revised courses also attempt to lay a new emphasis on human relationships through the allocation of more time to the study of history, civics and geography.

Qualifications for university entrance will remain the same, Dr. Simpson explained.

The new courses will be: a general course, similar to the present course leading to university matriculation; a course preparing pupils for employment in industry, agriculture or art; a more specialized course in household arts and a commercial course, in all four nearly half of the student's time to be devoted to the study of English, history, geography and good health habits.

### Latin Out of First Year

Extension of the recommendation system in examinations and reduction of the number of papers where formal examinations are conducted by the Department of Education was recommended by the Committee of High and Vocational courses of study, according to the report presented by Dr. Rogers. Their proposed course ruled Latin out of first year studies of secondary-school students, called for the introduction of only one foreign language, French.

It is the definite responsibility of the school to take the necessary steps to give each pupil every opportunity to be successful in his year's work, said Dr. C. C. Goldring, superintendent of Toronto schools, who expressed the opinion that under ordinary conditions a large percentage of pupils should be promoted annually. Last June 80.61 per cent of all pupils in Toronto schools were promoted.

The proposal that the Provincial Government should bear a greater proportion of the cost of education in both urban and rural schools was urged by F. A. J. Davis, who pointed out that only about 13 per cent of the cost of education is borne by the Province. Canada spends about \$100,000,000 a year on education.

Schools and universities should teach their students to speak and write logically and simply, said Dr. W. E. McNeill, vice-principal of Queen's University in addressing the English and history section. Criticizing the English courses of most colleges as being too complicated, he advised the use of the fewest possible words to express an idea.

The past year has seen a decided increase in the interest shown in the teaching of music throughout the Province, according to G. Roy Fenwick, Provincial Supervisor of Music, who said that nearly every urban center has regular instruction in the elementary schools, and in rural districts, more than 2000 rooms have

### Home, Nation's Heart

Education should in the first place teach clarity and accuracy in expression of the English language, nor can the aim of education be the acquisition of learning alone, said Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada. Education should equip the boy to meet life, and the acquiring of an education should enable him to earn a good living and become a good citizen. Advocating a proper blending of cultural and vocational training, he suggested that it is no good giving a boy culture if he is going to starve.

Declaring that the home is the heart of the nation, Mrs. E. F. Langworthy, president of the National Council of the Parent-Teachers' Association of the United States, said that future security from war would result only from the moral fiber of the home-makers.

Introducing music during the past two years.

The question of teachers' salaries was a topic in many of the groups, the contention being that the present minimum of \$500 established by the Provincial Government is not sufficiently high.

Resolutions passed by the public school teachers asked that the minimum salary of every public school teacher employed full time be \$800 a year; that school administration areas be reorganized, enlarging from the present school sections to school-board areas of township or county; and that the teaching of music be made compulsory in all schools.

One of the clauses of the 14-point platform of the Ontario Teachers' and Ratepayers' Association asked at least a minimum salary of \$700 a year.

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## Yugoslav Critics Assail Premier's Foreign Policies

**By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor**

**BELGRADE, Yugoslavia**—Criticism that Yugoslavia's foreign policy had weakened the Little Entente was heard recently here in a debate in the Senate.

Dr. Milan Stoyadinovitch, Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs, made an explanation of his foreign policy.

The deputies especially accused the Minister of loosening the bonds which heretofore have bound Yugoslavia to her allies. They declared that his actions had weakened the close relations within the Little Entente, that because of his policy there was distrust in France toward Yugoslavia, and that, also, by an agreement with Bulgaria the foundations of the Balkan Pact had been shaken.

They were also greatly concerned over rumors about a friendship pact between Yugoslavia and Hungary and declared that an agreement with Hungary could be made only within the frame of the Little Entente and after consulting all the Danube states.

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## Spanish Loyalists See Success Ahead

**By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor**

**HENDAYE, France**—Recapture of Brihuega gave tremendous encouragement to Spanish Government troops under Gen. José Miaja.

The high command in Madrid is believed to maintain that if the roads to Barcelona and Valencia can be kept open for another two months, the capital can then be considered safe.

General Miaja believes that the worst of the civil war is over and the crisis has been passed.

Considerable credit for the recent success of the defenders must be given to French, Russian and other foreign volunteers. Once more Russian flying men proved their mettle and the superiority of their planes over the German and Italian planes. The Russian machines are said to be lighter, more speedy, and easier to handle. The Russians' shooting is said to be more accurate than that of the Germans.

Amor, the foreign "volunteers" with the Loyalist forces there are said to be a large sprinkling of Jews, many of whom fought for Germany during the World War. Other nationalities are also represented by veteran fighters with a grudge against Fascism.

Naturally volunteers of this kind make excellent material and constitute a fine stiffening for the ranks of radical idealists of many nations fighting for Spain. Of these latter one observes groups quietly gathered on the border in the cheapest cafes, waiting for the "go" to slip "to the peninsula."

These—Belgians, Germans, Austrians—are the toughest lot imaginable, down-and-out perhaps, but prepared to fight against the Fascists with all their strength.

Fired with an ideal—to which may often be added the sharp edge of the unemployed's appetite—these men go to Spain to lay down their lives if need be, with a promise that they shall settle down in the sunlit peninsula when all is over and they can enjoy life in plenty.

To prevent men such as these from reaching their destination would be a problem with which a dozen Control Committees might

well fail to grapple successfully. France seems full of such men. Recent events have clearly shown how closely allied are the sympathies of French and Spanish workers against Fascism.

The Loyalist sympathizers cross the border, if necessary by night, to dodge the gendarmes stationed all along the Pyrenees border. Many of the gendarmes are sympathetic to them. Indeed, practically all the Basque workers and their comrades along the border are users of the clenched fist salute.

Most of the men of the International Brigade are crack shots, can handle machine guns and do motor repairs. Danger, fatigue, hunger and thirst mean little to them.

Italian prisoners taken by General Miaja's men are said to complain that they have been sent out to Spain against their will. Indeed, some of them contend they had no idea when they sailed from Italy, that they were going to fight in Spain.

The presence in Spain of two large

expeditionary forces, German and Italian, largely invalidates Gen. Francisco Franco's repeated denials that he intends to establish a Fascist régime in the peninsula. Opposition to Fascism as an evil force continues to strengthen General Franco's difficulties enormously.

### 'Windfall' Revenue Listed as \$82,000,000

**WASHINGTON, April 7 (P)**—Treasury officials expressed gratification yesterday over the decision by the Fourth Federal Circuit Court of Appeals upholding constitutionality of the "windfall" tax. They said the levy is counted on to put \$82,000,000 in the Government till this fiscal year.

Payments under the tax originally were due last Sept. 15. The Internal Revenue Bureau granted an extension to Dec. 15 and a joint congressional resolution later pushed the final deadline to June 15.

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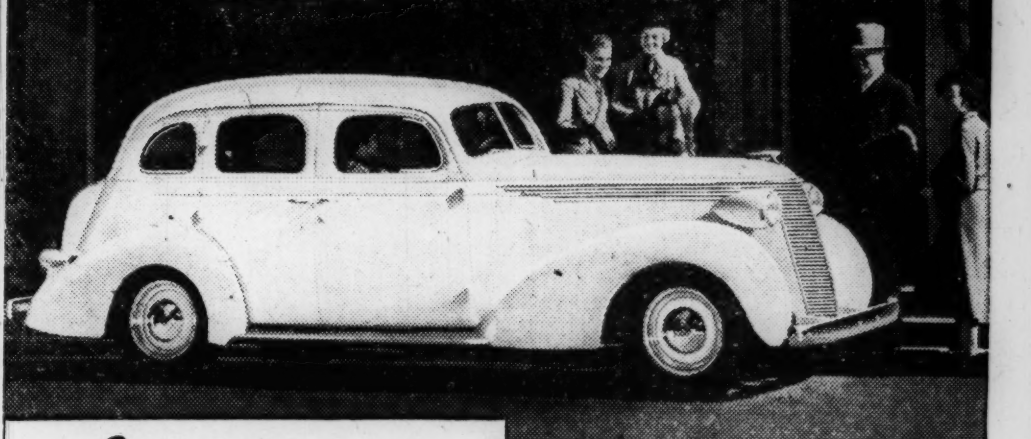
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**Typical List of Features**  
A typical list of WQXR's current feature programs, for instance, runs as follows:

**Week of April 4 to 10**

Sunday, April 4  
11 a. m.—12:15 p. m.—Prof. Edwin S. Corwin, of Princeton University, who recently testified before the Senate Judiciary Committee, speaks on "Democracy and the Supreme Court," from the New York Society for Ethical Culture.  
5:30—8 p. m.—"25 Years Ago This Week" —Premiere of a new program which each week will re-enact the important news of the corresponding week 25 years ago.  
7-8 p. m.—Oxford String Quartet, studio recital.

Monday, April 5

6:30-6:45 p. m.—Speakers' Forum of the Air: Prof. Henry Pratt Fairchild of New York University Graduate School: "Child Labor as a National Issue."  
9:30-10 p. m.—John V. L. Hogan, consulting engineer, "Building a Better Radio."

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## Wisconsin 'Offers' Beauty Spot in Wilds

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BOYLSTON, Wis.—Northern Wisconsin has a waterfall one foot higher than Niagara. Although winter still hems it in, Wisconsin park officials are urging prospective tourists to think about making a visit to this woodland wonder next summer.

Big Manitou Falls, in Patison State Park, hasn't received much publicity because it is rather far from the centers of population. But the Wisconsin Park people think it is well worth leaving the beaten path to see.

The park in which the falls make their 165-foot plunge is a 114-acre woodland, rough, rocky and over-

grown with great pines. Through it flows the Black River, cascading for miles over a rocky range on its rush to Lake Superior. In the heart of the park it plunges into a mountain gorge in a roaring fall. Indians called the waterfall Gitchee Monido, and the whites turned Monido into Manitou. The Indian name means Falls of the Great Spirit.

The park in which the falls are situated has been under State development for 17 years. The original tract, 660 acres, was presented to the State in 1920 by Martin Patison of Superior, who wished that this Wisconsin wilderness might be preserved. Since 1920 the State has added 480 acres by purchase.

**Terms of Chrysler Accord**

LANSING, Mich., April 7 (P)—The agreement between the Chrysler Corporation and the United Automobile Workers of America, follows:

Agreement entered into this sixth day of April, 1937, between the Chrysler Corporation (hereinafter referred to as the "corporation") and the international union, United Automobile Workers of America (hereinafter referred to as the "union"):

1. The corporation agrees to bargain with the union as collective bargaining agency for such of its employees who are members of the union. The corporation recognizes and will not interfere with the right of its employees to be members of the union. Neither the corporation nor any of its agents will exercise discrimination, interference, restraint or coercion against any members of the union on account of such membership.

2. The union agrees that neither the union nor its members will intimidate or coerce employees, and also not to solicit membership on corporation time or plant property.

3. It is mutually agreed that the term "employee" for the purpose of this agreement shall not include foremen, assistant foremen, timekeepers, plant protection employees or confidential salaried employees.

4. The union will not cause or permit its members to cause, nor will any member of the union take part in any sit-down or stay-in strike or other stoppage in any of the plants of the corporation during the term of this agreement.

5. Negotiations will be resumed in Detroit between representatives of the corporation and representatives of the union on the remaining matters on April 6, 1937, for the purpose of entering into a supplemental agreement covering those matters.

6. The union agrees immediately to terminate the present strike against the corporation and to permit its plants closed as a result of the strike will resume operations as soon as possible.

7. The corporation agrees to re-employ as rapidly as possible its employees now on strike at their usual work without discrimination against them for participating in the strike, and in accordance with the seniority rules of the corporation now in effect.

8. The corporation and the union agree to take proper proceedings to obtain leave of the court to dismiss the corporation's bill for an injunction and the union's answer and crossbill.

9. This agreement and said agreement supplemental hereto shall remain in full force and effect until March 31, 1938, inclusive.

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## Chrysler Strike Is Settled; End to Sit-Downs Indicated

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stay-in strike, and declared that no member would take part in one, Mr. Lewis put the first check on the new strategy thus far reported by the C. I. O., which introduced it.

In this the Chrysler terms go further than the strike settlement with General Motors Corporation. There also the union, as according to custom, bound itself to no interruption of work for the period of the agreement. This provision plainly meant prohibition of the sit-down but, did not say so. The Chrysler settlement puts in the word that the General Motors contract left out, and reiterates it by defining it unmistakably as the stay-in strike.

On the issue of sole bargaining power asked by the union, Chrysler also came out stronger than did General Motors. As the result of the first big automobile strike, General Motors agreed to bargain with no other agency than the striking union for its first six months of its contract. The union offered this qualification to Chrysler as the basis for termination of its strike. Chrysler refused it.

The Chrysler terms are expected by union men to serve as precedents for settlement of the strikes in the Hudson and Reo automobile companies, returning 13,500 more men to their jobs. Negotiations in these cases open today with Governor Murphy continuing to mediate.

**Labor Policies Set**  
Specifically on the issue of bargaining, the company judges that it has now established the following labor policies:

1. The corporation is left free to bargain collectively with any group of its employees.

2. It can deal with all groups on an equal footing, with no preference and no priority to any.

3. Union members will be treated on the same basis as all employees. Anything the company does for any other group it will do for the union under similar circumstances.

4. It recognizes the union for its members only.

While nobody else is asking for a bargaining conference, there is nothing in the agreement to forbid it if they did, since it is a non-exclusive contract, observed a spokesman for the company.

In all this, according to a point of view current in the corporation, it has not greatly altered its labor policies from what they were before the strike.

As the strike was called exclusively on the sole bargaining demand, the foregoing concerns therefore the principal issue. What remains includes some major and indisputable union gains.

**Recognition for Union**

The union won its recognition. It established for its part that it can bargain collectively and nationally with the company.

The company gave it the first signed agreement it ever accorded to any union.

These make great advances for trade unionism in this corporation and industry. If steps like these had come first in Chrysler instead of General Motors, they would be heralded more loudly than they will be. Since the first of this year the union has jumped into a dominating position in the first and third automobile companies.

The company promises to aid no other collective bargaining organization of related industries which were forced to curtail production.

Welfare officials said that an increase of 600 families on relief rolls since April 1 was directly traceable to the strike situation.

An unofficial estimate, based on \$7 a day as the prevailing wage in the automobile industry, indicated that the 59,000 Chrysler employees in Detroit lost 22 working days and wages of approximately \$3,486,000. A few more were idle a shorter period.

In addition about 20,000 other idle workers, most of them employed in Briggs body-making plants here, lost about \$3,080,000 in wages.

Still idle are 10,000 employees of the Hudson Motor Car Co., which suspended production March 8, the same day the Chrysler strike started. The wage loss has been close to \$1,540,000.

The Detroit Board of Commerce reported that in the last three weeks of the strike alone merchants lost more than \$6,000,000 in retail trade, just when Easter buying should have boomed sales. Business observers estimated that there also was a \$7,750,000 loss in wholesale trade.

**Smoke Abatement Goal**

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Special to The Christian Science Monitor

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — A campaign to teach residents of the city how to burn coal in their furnaces so as to cause a minimum amount of smoke has been inaugurated by the Birmingham Junior Chamber of Commerce. The purpose is the elimination of the smoke nuisance in the city.

"We are starting on the theory that the heavy pall of smoke over the city comes not from the big industries but from homes and small shops in which the coal is not properly burned," said Ed Boutwell, chairman of the smoke elimination committee.

**West Virginia Pay Roll Tax**  
Special to The Christian Science Monitor

RICHMOND, Va. — Approximately 7000 West Virginia employers paid \$3,008,699.34 in 1936 pay roll taxes. Director John Stump Jr., of the unemployment compensation department at Charleston, said a few checks continued to come in last week, but that the greater part of the tax had been collected.

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## Norway to Carry Domestic Training To Remote Areas

Special to The Christian Science Monitor  
OSLO, Norway—If a woman cannot afford the expenditure of time and money in attending one of Norway's domestic training schools—no matter.

The Norwegian Government is so fully convinced of the value of properly run homes that it has adopted a comprehensive scheme for the promotion of domestic training throughout the country. Included in its program is the establishment of a special section in the Ministry of Agriculture which will deal with every question which bears upon homes and home-workers.

A woman—Miss Dina Larsen—has been appointed head of this new section of Government and, equipped as she is with a wide experience in the ways and manners of home-keepers, she is making it possible for everyone, wherever they happen to live, to benefit by the good things she has to tell them.

Throughout Norway, training centers are to be set up but—possibly more useful still— itinerant teachers are to travel, carrying with them expert knowledge which they will hand on to women even in the most remote districts.

Nutrition research is to be undertaken by specialists. Experiment in regard to technical equipment is to be made. Household "rationalization" is to be explained to all who wish to learn about it and to put it into practice.

### Polish Plane to Cost \$190

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WARSAW — Trials of the latest Polish low-wing monoplane have been completed here. With a 50-horsepower engine, its maximum speed in 100 miles per hour, and its range 500 miles. The price is to be 5000 zlotys, or \$190, it is claimed.

## Medal in Glass



Sidney Waugh, Designer of a New Award  
The Sculptor Shows the Glass Medal of Victory to Be Given in the Pittsburgh Glass Institute Competition

## Glass Medal Awaits Glass Winner

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

When the successful contestant in the glass competition sponsored by the Pittsburgh Glass Institute is announced, April 30, the first competition medal ever worked in glass will be the winner's award. The medal was designed, in keeping with the spirit of the competition, by Sidney Waugh, young American sculptor, winner himself of Paris Salon and Prix de Rome awards who, curiously enough, never thought of working in glass until after he had taken a side trip from Italy to Stockholm a couple of years ago, to visit the glass exhibition. He was so astonished and pleased with what he found there, and what it suggested to him about the possibilities of glass for a sculptor's use that, although his work at home had been in other media, when it was suggested that he design a medal in glass for this award, he was not

averse to trying it, and set to work. The medal is called the complete answer to his selection, a graphic example of the beauty and fine craftsmanship possible for a sculptor to achieve in terms of glass.

Mr. Waugh was born in Amherst, where his father is a college professor. He went through Amherst, then took a course in the architectural school of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and went to Europe to study at the Beaux Arts and to work later as assistant to Henri Bouchard. His winning of medals from both the Paris Salon and the Prix de Rome was considered unusual for one so comparatively young. It paved the way to further recognition in the United States where he was soon what is probably the youngest associate member elected to the National Academy of Design.

### Work Seen in Washington

His reputation has been made chiefly as a sculptor of large architectural subjects, and his work is to be found in the new Post Office Building at Washington, the National Archives Building and in the Federal Reserve Building, now under construction. Examples are to be found, too, in most of the large private collections and the important museums here and in Europe.

It is not to Mr. Waugh's taste to be called an industrial designer. He is first and last a sculptor, and he couldn't imagine giving up sculpture for industrial or any other design. On the other hand, he does like to do things which fall into the general classifications of industrial design if, in themselves, they interest him; but it is a large "if," and he wouldn't do them merely to fall in with a trend.

As a sculptor he does all the work himself, from the time a piece of work first begins to take shape in his imagination, until it is ready to be labelled finished. This, to him, is a simple exercise in common efficiency, as he doesn't see how anyone else could possibly be expected to work on what, in the last analysis, exists only in his own thought. And while he may do other work in glass, he expects to be known all his days as a sculptor, because he never expects to find anything to do which pleases and satisfies him as sculpture does.

### Glass as Medium

But all this is not to say he is not interested in working to some extent in glass. The fact of the remarkable glass exhibition held at the Metropolitan Museum last sea-

## Barber Shop of 50's, Now a Museum Piece

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK, April 7—How the barber shop of the "gay nineties" must have looked with its shelves of be-flowered shaving mugs, sentimentally inscribed; its lavender bottles, its chair of the pre-mechanical era and its weather-stained pole of red and white is glimpsed this week at the New York Collectors' Show which will continue at the Pennsylvania Hotel through Friday.

The equipment has been assembled by Leslie Van Dusen and Gilbert C. Brown. The barber's chair is of a period about 1850. It is upholstered in faded carpeting and has a high footstool, its only mechanical feature being a lever, probably the wonder of its time, which provided for a slight tilting back.

Vain and sentimental as gentlemen of the mustache and side-burns era may have been, they had their thrifty moments, according to the exhibit. Many of the shaving mugs are made with soap preservers. Some are of imported china, others of silver. Many of them have flower designs, but dear to the heart of the collector is the shaving mug with pictures of horses and tradesmen. Mr. Brown declared. The names of the owners frequently are printed in fancy letters on the mug, or sentiments such as "Remember Me" in bright gold script.

Approximately 120 collectors are

represented at the show. Their exhibits include stamps, coins, antique furniture, books, glass, china, jewelry and music boxes.

One of the exhibits shows 100 bell-pulls, once used in drawing-rooms in Europe and the United States for summoning servants. These were loaned by Dr. J. Darwin Nagel, and are valued at more than \$7000. Shimmering with gay beads and silk embroidery, many of them are the work of young feminine members of the household and were made for some special occasion, such as an anniversary. Dr. Nagel said. Some of them belonged to families in France, Austria, and Bulgaria, he added.

Pieces of interesting jewelry include a ring of French blue enamel, surrounded by rose diamonds, shown by Frederick T. Widmer, of Boston, and said to have been given to a lady by an officer in Napoleon's army.

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## Circulars on Record In Duke Power Suit

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ROCK HILL, S. C.—Documents and depositions in the case of the Duke Power company are again in Greenwood county, in which the plaintiff contended that the PWA was seeking to control power rates, by financing public power plants, have been admitted to the records by Federal Judge J. Lyles Glenn.

Judge Glenn referred to a ruling of the United States Supreme Court handed down by Justice Brandeis as precedent for his action. This opinion, he asserted, reversed a ruling of the Supreme Court of Tennessee and sustained a trial judge in Tennessee for admitting testimony to show a case in national rather than local aspect.



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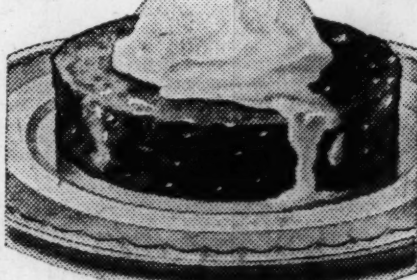


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## London Parley Limiting Peace Talks to Trade

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American trade agreement. It is learned authoritatively that several British Cabinet sessions have been held during the week on this subject, with a majority favoring such an agreement, even at the expense of a breach in the system of "Imperial preferences."

An apparently inspired editorial in the London Times today significantly says that both Britain and the United States have so far properly been concentrating on domestic recovery. It adds that the time seems now to have come when both "can usefully come together and see how they can help one another to promote a more general and therefore a more stable increase of goods."

The same editorial stresses a point increasingly heard at Washington that the rearmament program, despite the necessity for defense, involves economic dislocations which must be carefully watched.

It is known here that Mr. Walter Runciman, president of the Board of Trade, opposes strongly any move at the expense of the Imperial preferences. He has discouraged overtures several times which explain partly the lack of success of his conversations at Washington with President Roosevelt. But there is a strong possibility that he may be overruled by increasing sentiment in the Cabinet for better trade with the United States.

Mr. Davis has so far conferred at length privately with the British Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, with Mr. J. Ramsay MacDonald, Lord President of the Council (Chairman of the World Economic Conference, who opened the Sugar Conference on Monday), Mr. Runciman, Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, Chief Economic Adviser to the British Government, Dr. Colijn, Signor Stoppini and M. Spinasse. He is seeing more every day. All such conversations are tending to narrow the field of possible international action.

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Portrait of the Hon. Frederic Sylvester Douglas

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situation continues unpromising. It is agreed also that disarmament can rest only on political appeasement. Mr. Davis may still go to the Geneva meeting of the Disarmament Conference, but apparently not with high hopes. His motive seems rather to avoid criticism from peace groups and to keep the organization alive.

Public pronouncements continue to stress the need for a general cooperative move. Mr. Davis last night said that the cure for the universal ailment must be comprehensive and added that the world must soon choose a road leading to cooperation for establishment of economic and political peace. The same note was echoed by French spokesmen, and among representatives of the small powers in the Oslo group.

This Oslo Group is tending to take the initiative. Being less suspect than any individual great power they are considered better fitted to start the demobilization movement. Signor Stoppini for the League and Dr. Colijn for the Oslo Group are real moving forces here. Such men are providing the ma-

chinery for initiating discussions and explorations looking toward peace.

The so-called "Oslo Group," or "Oslo States," comprises most of the Scandinavian and other low-tariff states in Northern Europe. At a meeting held at The Hague early in March, Dr. Hendrik Colijn, Prime Minister of the Netherlands, presided. The following nations were represented by economic experts: Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, Belgium, Luxembourg and the Netherlands.

The results were not published, but it is understood that progress was made toward lifting trade barriers between the states represented. To revive the Oslo Convention of 1930 and to extend the idea to other powers as fast as possible.

### Peace Campaign Plans Poster for Billboards

Special to The Christian Science Monitor  
PHILADELPHIA, April 7.—In its effort to utilize every available channel for the message of its "No-Foreign-War Crusade," the Emergency Peace Campaign is using billboards—for the first time in the American peace movement, it is believed.

The main feature is a reproduction of a war-time poster used in floating the Liberty Loan. It depicts an American soldier, bayonet fixed, standing over a fallen enemy—ready for further attack. Added to this on the new peace poster are the words "Never Again. Save sons and dollars. Enlist in the No-Foreign-War Crusade."

**Virginia Teachers' Plans**  
Special to The Christian Science Monitor  
RICHMOND, Va.—A \$6,000,000 legislative program to take care of increased pay for teachers, a minimum school term of nine months and a retirement fund for teachers were agreed upon at a meeting of the board of directors of the Virginia Education Association, it was announced by Dr. C. J. Heatwole, secretary.

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## Lithographs

**Learning to Enjoy Art**  
Ninth of 12 Articles  
By Charles Fabens Kelley  
Assistant Director, The Art Institute of Chicago  
Written for The Christian Science Monitor

The lithographic process is one of the few commercial processes of reproduction used by artists themselves to make prints, and the range of lithographic printing today runs from huge circus posters and outdoor billboards to very delicate book illustrations and proofs printed by the artists themselves on their own presses.

The process was invented about the beginning of the nineteenth century and has been increasing steadily in popularity. Its invention was the work of one man, a German named Senefelder, whose thorough study seemed to foresee the improvements that have come about in the last 100 years. On account of its wide commercial application, the mere fact that a print is made by the lithographic process gives no indication of its merit. It may be of high quality or of the uttermost vulgarity and cheapness. It is possible, however, by this process to achieve effects which have a character all their own and are not to be confused with etchings or engravings.

**Stone Covered with Grain**  
The process is named after two Greek words, lithos, stone, and grapho, to write, meaning writing on stone, and for a long time all lithographs were made upon stone. Now it has been found possible to use metal in the same way, and large metal sheets are wrapped around the cylinders of high-speed presses for producing huge quantities of work. We are not concerned here with such giant commercial projects, but only with the type of lithograph an artist would make himself.

In the processes we have discussed already, the printing is done by means either of a raised line or a recessed or incised line. In lithography the line is neither raised nor incised, which sets lithography apart from all other printing processes. It is based upon chemical principles and is possible because oil or grease and water will not mix. It will be easier to understand the process if we know how the artist goes to work.

The stone on which the work is done is ground perfectly smooth and flat on both sides and then the side upon which the drawing is to be made is given a very even fine grain something like ground glass. Were it not for this grain, it could not be drawn upon any more than could a glass window. The drawing is done with a special type of crayon which contains wax and grease but is sufficiently hard to hold a point.

As the artist moves the crayon over the surface of the stone, the tops of the tiny granulations come in contact with the point, and pull off small particles of the waxy substance. If the crayon is pressed down firmly, the granulations will pull of larger pieces. The larger the pieces which cling to the granulations, the less white space there will be between them, and that is what gives the effect of light or dark grays and blacks. The light grays are composed of tiny points of crayon; the darker grays, of larger specks. And where a black appears, the crayon has been pressed so hard against the surface that it has filled up all the little valleys between the granules.

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## Battle on Court Is Soon to Shift To Senate Floor

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used in the future to undermine rights of individuals, and the protection of minorities; and the plan is not wholly free from doubt as to its constitutionality.

Dean Wilkinson filed with the committee a resolution opposing the court plan bill as "dangerous" to judicial independence, signed by 23 lawyers on the Fordham faculty.

A stormy interlude in testimony occurred yesterday when James O. M. Monroe, Democratic state senator from Illinois and newspaper publisher, was checked in a vigorous attack on President Roosevelt. Mr. Monroe had reached Page 4 of his blistering 16-page manuscript at a line declaring the President "lets no question of constitutionality, however reasonable, stand in his way," when he was interrupted. He ultimately left his statement with the committee declaring it "wouldn't be worth while" to read it.

James Truslow Adams, the historian, also attacked the plan yesterday.

"There is no use denying," he told the committee, "that the forces overthrowing freedom and democracy are growing in strength after having overturned one nation after another. Looking over our own national past I see no period in which our self-government was in such danger as it is today."

### Charlotte Launches Cleanup Campaign

Special to The Christian Science Monitor  
CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 7.—A campaign has been launched to make Charlotte cleaner and more beautiful. Hundreds of youths are cleaning alleys, premises and yards in order to participate in the theater party to be given those taking part of Cleanup Week.

A prize of \$25 will be given the school with the highest percentage of students taking an active part in the program. O. C. Fogus, superintendent of the city garage, said splendid response to the crusade has been given with a number of organizations endorsing the idea.

Cleanup Week covers a 10-day period during which citizens are urged to co-operate by removing trash and placing it in a position accessible to garbage collectors.

George Lay, agent of the Department of Agriculture, who is directing a rat eradication campaign here, has given full endorsement to the cleanup program.

**Virginia City in Safety Drive**  
WINCHESTER, Va.—Winchester, led by its Mayor, Dr. Charles Anderson and its chief of police, Capt. C. W. Hollis, is actively engaged in a safety first campaign, primarily directed toward automobile operation. The city officials have announced that all infractions of the safety laws detected by the police and other officials will result in prosecution. At the same time bicycle riders have been warned that unless their machines are equipped at night with lights and they drive off the sidewalks they will be liable to prosecution. Speeding on the part of automobilists is most strictly forbidden.



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on the banks of the winding Ohio,  
station WPAY here, with a cov-  
erage extending into Kentucky and  
West Virginia, has become a social  
unit considered invaluable by the  
wealthy industrial and farm com-  
munities of this area.

The value of the station's con-  
tributions to the welfare of the in-  
habitants of this territory was, per-  
haps, never better shown than dur-  
ing the recent flood.

For more than 357 hours, WPAY's  
staff, forced from floor to floor by  
the climbing waters, operated the  
station continuously. More than  
20,000 messages, telephoned to the  
station's headquarters in the rafted  
attic of its building, were handled.  
It was central distributing point for  
all amateur operators in the vicin-  
ity, and for the local police depart-  
ment the transmitter of which had  
been deserted in the flooded city  
building. It served as guide for the  
lifeguard squads and hospital agen-  
cies.

In addition to its service in  
emergencies, WPAY has contributed  
several features to the social life of  
the communities.

Many of the towns within reach  
of the station's signal have no news-  
papers, and others have newspapers  
of weekly and small circulation.  
Daily news flashes, including "The  
Monitor Views the News," are radio-  
cast daily at 3:15 to the 500,000 peo-  
ple in the primary coverage area of  
the station.

A weekly Barn Dance with paid  
attendance ranging from 500 to 1000  
persons, depending on the season, is  
one of the station features. Farm  
news, important in this rich farming  
section, is radio-cast daily and is a  
popular feature.

Maintaining its own merchandis-  
ing and advertising set-up, WPAY  
has also established its own audi-  
torium in connection with its stud-  
ios. This auditorium studio is year-  
ly the scene for the city's electrical  
show, auto show, food display and  
other civic and commercial features.  
The hall can accommodate 1000 per-  
sons. A complete public-address sys-  
tem and microphone outlets offer  
large companies opportunities for  
education or exploitation work  
among their own district employees,  
or for appeal to the general public.

Primary coverage of 50 to 75 miles  
around Portsmouth and a secondary  
coverage of an additional 25 miles  
give the station a radius of approxi-  
mately 75 to 100 miles with 100 watts  
on 1370 kilocycles. Reception in the  
area is featured by practically no in-  
terference, station researchers re-  
port.

Opened in Portsmouth in 1935, the  
station was originally WHED of Mt.  
Orab, Ohio. Previous to establish-  
ment of WPAY, this area was locally  
unserved by radio. Since receiving  
its license, the station has followed a  
policy of accepting no beer or liquor  
advertising contracts, and submit-  
ting all questionable advertisements  
to investigation.

This is article number 90 in the series.  
The next will appear on Friday, April 9.

## 40-Hour Textile Week Upheld

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tory is not going to repeat itself  
and that Japan will allow itself to  
lag behind all the progressive coun-  
tries of the world.

"I hope that the Japanese Govern-  
ment will at this conference show  
proof of its good will and give us a  
definite assurance that some sub-  
stantial improvement in hours of  
work in Japan will be effected with-  
out delay. When it does that it will  
make a real contribution to our task  
of putting the textile industry  
throughout the world on a solid basis  
and it will have earned the respect  
and good will of all countries."

On the other hand, R. R. Bakshale,  
workers' delegate from India, warned  
that if the West wants the East to  
improve working conditions, it must  
move first. Citing progress made in  
India in the last 18 years since the  
first conference, he claimed that lit-  
tle improvement has been made in  
European countries, including Great  
Britain.

"Unless the West moves," Mr.  
Bakshale declared, "there is no hope  
whatever of the purchasing power of  
the people of the East being in-  
creased."

The Indian workers' delegate also  
took exception to the concern ex-  
pressed by the British employers'

## Warning on Alcoholism

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## Notice to Mexican Electric Light Users

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Printed on the Backs of Bills. It Is Translated: "Alcoholism Is the Most Stubborn  
and Fearful Enemy of Progress."

Fresh Problems  
Face Roosevelt  
For Work Relief

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tion curves further out of line, he  
said.

Mr. Ickes has indicated that he  
agreed fully with the President.  
Pointing out that there are still \$1,-  
000,000,000 of public works in the  
construction stage, he said he felt  
in the future PWA should limit it-  
self to alleviating local spots of un-  
employment.

Despite the agreement between  
the President and Mr. Ickes on this  
point, the House group favored a  
large new PWA program with per-  
sons hired on the basis of need and  
ability to perform the work effi-  
ciently. They suggest the establish-  
ment of a social welfare department  
to develop projects and keep a re-  
cord of unemployment. This group,  
headed by Representative Maury  
Maverick (D. of Texas), explained:

"Our outstanding economic prob-  
lem is how to provide a constant  
and expanding market at home for  
the products of our farmers and fac-  
tories.

"Millions of able-bodied, willing  
and efficient workers remain unem-  
ployed and will, so far as anyone  
can see, be unemployed for some  
time to come. Barring government  
action, they will be without pur-  
chasing power.

"There is crying need for public  
works in flood control, conservation  
of natural resources, low-cost hous-  
ing, park and playground construc-  
tion and reforestation; and there is  
just as great, if somewhat less evi-  
dent, need for community recreation  
programs, adult education and the  
development of the cultural life of all  
our people.

"This work cannot be carried on  
by private industry, since there is no  
profit in it."

## Two Navy Bombers Crash

SAN DIEGO, Calif., April 7 (AP)—  
Naval air station sources here re-  
ported yesterday four Navy fliers  
were killed in a head-on collision of  
two bombers from the aircraft car-  
rier Lexington 40 miles off San Pedro.

Cardenas Urges  
Ban Upon Liquor  
3 Days a Week

MEXICO, D. F., April 7 (AP)—  
President Cardenas gave Mexico  
a push toward prohibition today.  
He proposed a law prohibiting  
sale of all intoxicating liquors  
on Fridays, Saturdays and Sun-  
days throughout the republic  
and the manufacture of alco-  
holic beverages in Indian zones.

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

MEXICO, D. F.—All forces of the  
Mexican Government are being  
marshaled to continue the fight for  
prohibition in the Mexican Repub-  
lic. Although total abstinence is not  
insisted upon in the Government's  
program, temperance is stressed and  
its advantages are being broadcast  
through all of the agencies of pub-  
licity and propaganda.

One of the most radical of the re-  
cent moves made by the Government  
for the furtherance of the campaign  
was the printing on all monthly light  
bills of a slogan attacking alcoholism.  
These bills, reaching the majority  
of homes in Mexico City, carried the  
slogan "El Alcoholismo Es El Mas  
Tenaz y Temible Enemigo Del Pro-  
greso," that is, "Alcoholism is the  
most stubborn and fearful enemy of  
progress."

Another recent move made to con-  
trol the distribution of alcoholic li-  
quors was to place their registration,  
analysis and all concessions under  
the supervision of the anti-alcoholic  
division of the Department of Public  
Health. Particular care will be made  
to enforce pure food laws upon all  
beverages being sold and it is pro-  
posed to expel from the country all  
foreigners who persist in the illegal  
sale or transportation of liquor.

Murphy Praised  
By Miss Perkins

WASHINGTON, April 7 (AP)—Sec-  
retary of Labor Frances Perkins  
sent the following telegram to Gov.  
Frank Murphy of Michigan:

"Congratulations upon accom-  
plishing another fine job in the pub-  
lic interest and for the benefit of  
wage earners and employers.

"Your successful negotiations in the  
dispute between workers and the  
Chrysler Corporation was another  
victory for the rule of reason and  
the conference method of set-  
tling industrial disputes.

"It has again been proven that  
when representatives of workers and  
employers agree to get together in  
conference to discuss the differences  
across the table, fair and reasonable  
agreement can be reached to their  
mutual advantage and in the in-  
terest of better labor relations for  
many years to come."

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Chrysler Settlement Clears  
Way for Action by Congress

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, April 7—Peace in  
the Chrysler plant has cleared the  
way for congressional condemnation  
of the sit-down strike.

Coupled with the condemnation  
in equal terms is an attack on labor  
espionage and refusal of employers  
to deal with organized labor.

The condemnation was couched in  
an amendment introduced by Senator  
Joseph T. Robinson (D. of Arkansas)  
to the original Pittman anti-sit-down  
strike resolution. The Robinson  
amendment was formulated after  
careful deliberation of Administra-  
tion leaders. With its addition, the  
entire resolution would read as fol-  
lows:

"Resolved by the Senate (the House  
of Representatives concurring) that  
it is the sense of the Congress that  
the so-called sit-down strike is illegal  
and contrary to sound public policy;

Spy System Assailed

"That the so-called industrial spy  
system breeds fear, suspicion and  
animosity, tends to cause strikes and  
industrial warfare and is contrary to  
sound public policy; and

"That it is likewise contrary to  
sound public policy for any em-  
ployer to deny the right of collective  
bargaining, to foster the company  
union, or to engage in any other  
unfair labor practice, as defined in  
the National Labor Relations Act."

As Senator Robinson introduced  
his new amendment he launched a  
vigorous attack on the industrial  
spy declaring peace was impossible  
while such practices as those re-  
vealed by the La Follette sub-com-  
mittee prevailed.

While the Senate settled down to  
debate the resolution, labor recapitu-  
lated its own position in the indus-  
trial strike through which it is  
passing.

Exultant over the results of the  
Chrysler strike, following that in  
General Motors, C. I. O. officials an-  
nounced here there would be "no  
letup" in their organizing drive in  
mass production industries.

Federal officials at the same time  
hailed settlement of the month-old  
strike as a victory for the "rule of  
reason."

John Brophy, C. I. O. director,  
declared today there would be no  
"breathing space" as a result of the  
settlement. A five-point program  
faces the industrial union move-  
ment, he declared.

Prompt effort to settle the  
strike now under way in the Hud-  
son Motor Co.

A quiet campaign in Ford com-  
pany plants, but with no prob-

ability of an immediate strike  
"unless there is some upsurge."  
An educational movement to  
teach newly organized workers a  
"sense of responsibility" in their  
new situation under "democratic  
procedure."

Continued unionization in other  
fields, including textiles and pet-  
roleum "quietly and behind the  
scenes where necessary and vigor-  
ously and out in the open where  
that is advantageous."

A mopping up drive in the steel  
industry.

Mr. Brophy added:

"Our immediate attention in the  
automotive field will be devoted to  
the settlement of the Hudson strike.  
As for Ford, that problem has to  
be attended to. However, I assume  
trouble will be held off for the mo-  
ment unless there is some upsurge."

With congressional condemnation  
of the sit-down strike technique  
now expected, labor leaders showed  
a growing disposition to emphasize  
the need of educational work among  
new union members to curb the sit-  
down weapon. They are bent on in-  
stilling a sense of responsibility in  
workers who are for the first time  
suddenly enjoying collective bar-  
gaining.

The drive in the oil industry is  
being quietly pressed. Here the  
workers come up against the third  
principal financial empire in the  
United States. The two others, Mor-  
gan in United States Steel and again  
in General Electric, and du Pont in  
General Motors, have agreed to deal  
with the Lewis-led C. I. O. The  
question now remains whether the  
Rockefeller-Standard Oil plants will  
follow suit.

Leaders of the rival A. F. of L.  
turned a sour eye on the C. I. O.  
Chrysler settlement today.

Restaurant Racketeers  
Get Long Jail Sentences

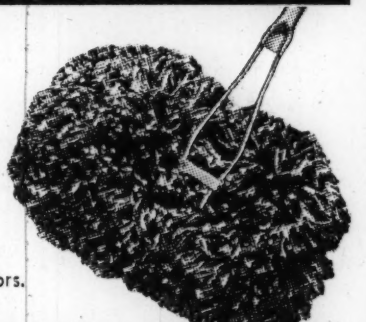
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Women's Activities  
A Wednesday and Friday Page

# A Continental Tour—Of Affairs Affecting Women

Fashions—Food  
A Wednesday and Friday Page

## 'Visas' for Twelve Countries

Being a Swift Glimpse Into Events That Affect the Women of Each

Special to The Christian Science Monitor  
London

Dear Friend:  
News of such varying character has reached me this month that it seems best to tell you about it item by item, and country by country. For economy of space, I propose to do this without comment.

**Austria**  
In Austria, women find themselves face to face with the fact that the Austrian Government—although fully aware that unemployed boys must find work, and busy raising a public loan to aid them—yet seems blind to the parallel requirements of unemployed girls. Members of the Austrian Federation of Business and Professional Women protest. They organize a broadcast on the question. Frau Dr. Maria Marech, Hofrat in the Ministry of Education, speaks for them. She says that women must bestir themselves to discover entirely new professions within the framework of social life. The Women's Board of the Fatherland Front appears ready to undertake re-

searches into possible openings. Women say that they have ceased to be "interested in such slogans as 'back to the home' and 'life-time settlement by marriage.' Vienna has a 214 per cent surplus of women—and facts are facts.

**Belgium**  
In Belgium, women, undaunted by the absence of their sex as members of the Bureau of the General Council of the Belgian Labour Party, now secure the presence—as delegates or special representatives—of some 10 women members of the Council itself.

**Bulgaria**  
If at least 21 years of age, if legally married, and if mothers, women of Bulgaria find themselves in the position of voters under the new Municipal Election Law, although they may not themselves stand for election. They listen to the Minister for the Interior and Public Health talking over the radio. He says that the granting of the municipal franchise is but the first installment of "votes for women." That the second installment will bring full equality.

**France**  
Women of France watch the laying of the foundation-stone in the great Paris Exhibition of a Pavilion which, they say, will offer for the first time a close-up of the French woman as she really is. "Haute couture," "haute mode," a world of frivolous luxury have always been suggested to the women of other countries as typical of the women of France. The new Pavilion—"La Mere et l'Enfant"—will reveal something of a very different kind. Perhaps the inclusion of the Pavilion is due to the presence in the Government of a woman Minister, Madame Suzanne Lacore. Women say so. Madame wants Europe to know what French women are doing socially. And she wants French women to know how much more they might do by a better understanding of modern methods of child-welfare. The Pavilion will offer records of women's work in general. It will contain accommodation for babies while mothers go sight-seeing. Nurses will be in attendance. Above all, a Children's Village will be open where 5-year-olds may amuse themselves to their hearts' content.

**Germany**  
Anxiety is caused because, from now onward, girls of Germany are to be denied entry to boys' schools if a girls' high school exists for them in their own town—even if such a school does not provide university training. University training for women will become more difficult in

view of the new decree. There exist only 269 girls' schools in Germany which prepare for the universities, and a vastly greater number which prepare for what are called "feminine professions."

**Great Britain**  
The Open Door Council—"complete equality" organization—holding its annual meeting in Birmingham, Eng., states that, while serious attacks are being made in most countries on the right of women to paid employment, certain States have gone to dangerous extremes. Ireland, Holland, Germany, Portugal, Roumania, Yugoslavia, Estonia and Danzig have all placed the earning rights of women in the "arbitrary power of some Minister of the State or other official," and economic equality seems, thereby, further removed than ever.

**Hungary**  
In Hungary, women are tremendously busy signing their names. The reform of the Hungarian Parliament is to come up for discussion, and a petition for equal franchise is the main interest of the moment.

**Italy**  
More babies are needed in Italy. Italian women are told. The Fascist Grand Council "solemnly reminds" citizens that life and survival constitute the "primum of problems." Without life and survival, it is explained, there can be no youth, no military power, no economic expansion, no safe future for the Fatherland. Accordingly, there are to be marriage bonuses and dowry insurances for young workers. There is to be a national association of large families. Fathers of many children are to be given employment priority, since "upon large families in exceptional times fall . . . the greatest contribution of men."

**Norway**  
In Norway a new labor law comes into effect which is destined to play a vital part in the lives of working women. It covers such matters as working hours, working conditions, absence from work before and after child-birth, industrial inspection, fines and the like.

**Sweden**  
Congratulations are offered by women of Sweden to Mrs. Hilmar Hult, who will take her place as the eleventh woman member of the Riksdag. She is a member of the Social Democratic Party.

**Switzerland**  
In Switzerland, women of Zurich welcome the members of the International Alliance of Women for Suffrage and Equal Citizenship who arrive to hold a study-conference on the question of how women may best



The Monarch, a California Live Oak

One of the 82 unusual tree photographs comprising the new book called "Trees," a pictorial volume for lovers of nature, with photographs and brief paragraphs of descriptive text by Thomas O. Sheekel, published by Frederick A. Stokes Company, New York, \$4. Each photograph is a full page in size and

carries a brief description. Aspens, cypresses, willows, poplars, grand old oaks and firs are all here. Anyone who loves trees will treasure this book, and anyone who has never realized the friendliness and beauty of trees will be awakened by it to new appreciations.

## Rooms—For and by Boys

Third of Four Wednesday Articles on Decorating Boys' Rooms

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

There is no reason why as much thought and care should not be expended on a boy's room as on a girl's. A growing lad has so many interests that it is not difficult to find a hobby or pastime that will furnish a scheme for decorations.

A visitor to Paul's house wouldn't have to be a mind reader to ascertain that Paul plans to be an aviator when he grows up. In fact, his passion for constructing airplane models was responsible for the remodeling of his room.

To begin with, it was a rather small and dark room. The north wall with three casement windows formed the gable under the roof and afforded the only light and ventilation. Not a particularly cheering place to carry on the important activities of one's life, and so 13-year-old Paul did his remodeling in the kitchen and living room.

**Ideas of His Own**  
When the family decided that something had to be done about the situation, they were astonished to discover that the boy had already worked out ideas of his own.

"I saw a picture of a room that had a bunk built into the wall," he said. "If we could do that to my room it would leave a lot more space for making airplanes."

So, at small expense, a six-foot section of the west wall was extended under the eaves, and a bunk, wide enough for company, was built

## Through the Editor's Window

Feathered Airways, Inc.

By M. L. Taylor

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

Again the perennial miracle is being wrought around us. Are we all aware of it, I wonder? From the Yukon, from Southern Rhodesia to the rugged, bracken-covered slopes of Cumberland, the air is filled with wings. The birds are on their way.

I was awakened one morning about a week ago by a sound long missing from our hill. The soft "who-o-o, whoo, whoo" of the mourning dove. Outside, bare branches and wan sunshine still spoke bleakly of New England winter. But as a presage of spring, our gentle woodland creature had returned to us. Back to our grove where we love to have him nest, he had made the long journey.

Since then, each day has been shot through with silvery wonder. Today our hill is full of bluebirds. Rose-breasted, their lovely flash of color in the morning sunlight seems a bit of sky captured for a close-up. Jolly fat robins have taken possession of our orchard. In fact the place is no more our own, but theirs. They scold us out of their way, chatter at us as we rake, congregate in branches overhead to hoot in loud tones. Then at the precise moment when we feel utterly the ignored hostess to such a self-important crowd, one precious fellow will cock a bright eye at us and rattle out a few sweet, disarming notes of greeting.

News on our hill these days runs like this: "A fox sparrow breakfasted at my feeding station this morning," or, "Bluebirds have already chosen our new birdhouse." We neighbors telephone one another the latest item.

And while those of us in the North greet these first comers, the smaller birds, the tree sparrows, the warblers, the brown creepers, the little

golden-crowned kinglets, and countless others, are on their way.

On their way! Think of them, flying, mile on mile, sometimes day and night, on and on through the pathless sky. There is the little black-poll warbler who takes his brave six inches of self all the way from his winter home in Brazil to Alaska or Greenland. If we should see him here he will be among the birds of passage, to be greeted gratefully, perhaps fed and sheltered for a brief space, and then wished a loving "Bon Voyage" as he goes on. There are the barn swallows, who have been traced as migrating from the Argentine to the Yukon. There are the common tern, familiar to our friends along the Maine coast, who may have wintered at the mouth of the Niger River in British West Africa; and the arctic tern who spans the distance from antarctic to arctic every spring. There is the kittiwake gull who may have crossed the Atlantic from the Farne Islands of Northumbria, England, to Horse Island, Newfoundland. The martins, the orioles, the tanagers bid farewell to you who are in Alabama, and wing away to greet us who live under northern skies. And the little yellow warbler, our wild canary, is even now, per-



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## Founder of Two Little Theater Groups

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

"Use what you have," is the slogan of a young woman who found herself at the peak of the so-called depression without funds, but with a store of theatrical knowledge and the will to work with whatever came her way. Today she is running two little theater groups, one

in St. Petersburg, Florida, during the winter and the other in Suffolk, Connecticut, during the summer.

An experienced actress, Mary Ann Dentler found herself faced during the lean years with much to give and no medium through which to express it. While visiting a sister in St. Petersburg, a high school production offered her the first opportunity for the expression of these talents. Recognizing ability in some of the students there, she put on her first play in the gymnasium of her first play in the gymnasium of the high school. Thus were laid the foundation stones for the Bandbox Theater, her successful theatrical venture in Florida.

She began with no funds, no scenery, no actors, no props and no personnel of any kind. But during her years of acting in the theater, she had gained, through watching electricians, stage-hands and scenic artists, a theoretical conception of the stage-management end of the theater. "Now came my opportunity to put it into practice," she said. "Our first sets were built from junk piles and any odds and ends we could find about town. The funnels for the lighting of our first production at the high school theater were made out of portions of discarded automobiles which we found in the junk yard. The spotlights also came from the same place, and some of the scenery was merely a conglomeration of corrugated boxes and old furniture which I painted over myself."

As she went on, professionals in the neighborhood became interested in the work, and lent valuable assistance. Mark Dixon Dodd, for instance, helped in the painting of the sets. Part of Miss Dentler's work, as she explains it, has been in recognizing talent and insisting on quiet development rather than the fostering of shooting stars. "We take people of all ages," she explained, "professionals and non-professionals, who display talent and fit into our scheme of things. Paul Bartlett,

the artist, Ruth Thane McDevitt, and Curtis Wheeler are among those who were of the St. Petersburg group."

Among the plays which Miss Dentler has done at the St. Petersburg playhouse are Hauptmann's "Sunken Bell," and Tchekov's "The Cherry Orchard."



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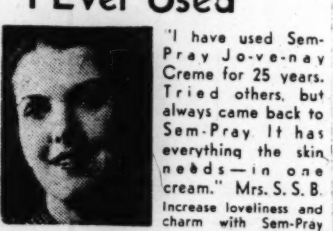
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## Children From English Slums Make Good on Canadian Farms; Farm School Held Successful

DUNCAN, Vancouver Island, B. C.—While many adult back-to-the-land movements fail because city folk find it hard to adapt themselves to rural life, a group of six-to-twelve-year-old boys and girls have already proved that British society spent their money well in removing them from the slum districts of England and Scotland to the Prince of Wales Fairbridge Farm School near here.

Last year 41 moved into new school buildings made possible with a \$5000 donation from the Prince of Wales, recently England's King Edward VIII. Fifty-six more arrived recently at the school where they will be trained in practical farming, and the young girls in the art of being good farmers' wives.

Thus does the dream of a former Oxford student come true. In 1912 Kingsley Fairbridge, with \$10,000 donated by the Oxford Colonial Club, founded the first Fairbridge Farm School in West Australia.

**Youth's Opportunity**  
After years of seemingly hopeless struggle, the project finally won the financial aid of the Australian Government. Young boys and girls, picked from the poorer families of Britain's slum districts and orphanages; children who ultimately would have swelled the unemployed lists of overcrowded industrial areas, were given a new lease on life. Plucked from cities before their roots had yet taken firm hold, they readily applied themselves to their new tasks. In Australia graduates of the Fairbridge Farm School are looked upon as first-rate farmers. They experience little difficulty in obtaining employment on farms and 98 per cent of them now own their own farms.

**First of Series**  
The Prince of Wales Fairbridge Farm School is the first of a projected Dominion-wide system. Prince Edward's \$5000 donation started a drive for \$500,000. British social leaders quickly took the cue, and before long the first contingent of child-immigrants was "stretching their legs and minds amid the thousand interests of a farm."

The 1000-acre farm is situated in the heart of a rich mixed farming area near here. Under the guidance of Prof. H. T. Logan, on leave from the University of British Columbia's department of classics, the children will receive their training, both in the regular school curriculum from government-appointed teachers and practical farming. At the age of 16 the boys will be eligible to be hired as farmer's helpers and the girls as "domestics" in private homes.

**Likely to Settle Down**  
Until they reach the age of 21, half their wages are placed, by their employer, in a school trust fund. This money is later turned back to the young farmers and farmerettes to use as they please—but the direct aim of the scheme is to have them buy a farm with their savings. Australian records indicate that they do this, besides marrying, in most cases, Fairbridge girl graduates. Despite these plans, however, no restriction whatever is made upon them giving up rural life.

But since their environment is commonplace by the time they reach 21, since nothing but the poverty and hardships of urban slums clings to their memories with respect to cities, the average Fairbridge cannot be torn from the land. This fact leads Canadians to believe that in the child-farmers they have the best immigrants. On reaching majority, the children, besides being trained to Canadian methods of farming, are thoroughly Canadianized with no old-world traditions to break.

Canadian and British Columbia business men and civic leaders have joined in the school's support. Since many of them advocate increasing the Dominion's population with British, they believe that Kingsley Fairbridge, whose work goes on despite his passing, spoke words of wisdom when he said:

"Train the children to be farmers! Not in England. Teach them farming in the land where they will farm!"

**Furniture Men Have a Secret**  
JAMESTOWN, N. Y., April 7 (P)—Home bodies, curious as to what manner of furniture styles will be given "coming out parties" at the spring furniture market here, must wait until more than 1000 buyers have had their look.

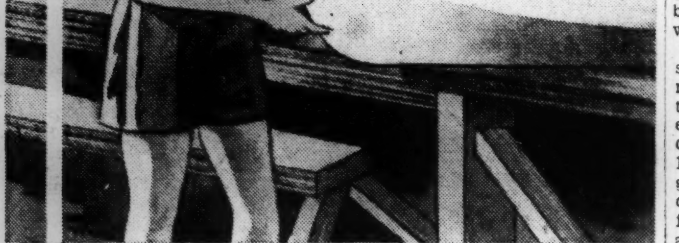
With the market opening April 28, manufacturers, busy getting out samples of their latest creations, were reticent today about revealing the trend of their "brain children."

The general public will get no chance to see the displays at the exposition which continues through May 5. The show is for the dealers only, and it is what they purchase that the public will finally see.

Some 65 exhibitors from six states have reserved space in the nine-story building used exclusively for the showing of furniture and kindred lines. Thousands of pieces of furniture will be spread over its 180,000 square feet of floor space.

Manufacturers said the trend is toward better-looking and better-made furniture but admitted right now the market is in its usual prepossession slump. They look for an increase in new home construction as a chance to sell more new furniture.

Furniture factories generally had been enjoying their best business in several years until the recent slowing down in trade. Strikes and the floods in the Middle West have also had their effect, the furniture makers reported. Some said the slump reflected heavy buying by



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## 'Back-to-the-Land'



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## University Calls City Workers To Sanitation Study

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK, April 7—Prospects of a college education lured 230 employees of the New York City department of sanitation to have their names on file today as candidates for five four-year scholarships offered by New York University. At least four of the applicants were street sweepers.

City officials will make the ultimate selection from properly qualified candidates before July 1. William F. Carey, commissioner of sanitation, said. Recipients then will start their college careers in September, meanwhile continuing to receive their regular wages from the department for special light duties.

The program of special training for sanitation employees is in line with Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia's plan to develop a career system among New York City's vast army of civil servants. Firemen already have been enrolled for college training under a similar scholarship arrangement.

Sewage disposal, water pollution and snow removal are a few of the problems the city government has to face, and it is in these and other fields that well-trained engineers with a background of practical service are expected to prove valuable to the public welfare.

No age limit was fixed for the applicants, but all of those accepted must have had the advantage of a high school education or its equivalent. The university is to provide the students with a background of practical service, leading to a degree. Our civil service employees of the department of sanitation are eligible to apply for the training.

In order to prevent loss of a valuable employee, the city government has stipulated that anyone accepting the scholarship must agree to remain in service for at least four years after completion of the course.

The university, by the new connection with the city, will profit from the use of a laboratory for direct experiment in sanitary problems. University research experts are to study specific questions submitted by the city department from time to time.

## Morgan Library Exhibits Work of Marguerite Lahey

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK, April 7—Marguerite Duprez Lahey has the distinction of being the only contemporary craftsman-artist to have specimens of her work exhibited at the Morgan Library, home of some of the rarest art treasures in the world. Miss Lahey has bound many of the priceless volumes and manuscripts in the Morgan collection, and specimens of her work were placed on public display there for the first time yesterday. They will continue on exhibition until Thursday. Previous exhibitions of the kind at the Morgan Library have been of craftsman-artists who belonged to past generations.

One hundred and fifty books are shown. They exhibit the development of the art of bookbinding through the centuries, there being examples of the earliest wooden covers, dating from the 13th and 14th centuries. The subsequent growth of the art also is graphically shown, with present styles featuring fine tooling, gilt-edging and designs in precious metals. Each item on display has an explanatory card telling something of its history.

## Church Boards Placed Under Single Control

NEW YORK, April 7 (P)—The Congregational and Christian Churches of the United States yesterday consolidated the work of national home missionary, educational, publishing and benevolent agencies in a single corporate organization, the new Board of Home Missions, formed under a New York State charter.

The board accepted the transfer of activities as voted by directors of the old church boards. The Rev. Edward W. Cross of Richmond Hill, N. Y., is president of the new board. Other officers are: Vice-presidents, the Rev. Theodore M. Shipper of Norwich, Conn., Mrs. Lewis R. Rounds of Mahwah, N. Y., and Prof. H. Shelton Smith of Durham, N. C., and the Rev. Robert W. Coe of Brookline, Mass., chairman of the directors and executive committee.

## 'Mystery' on Gas Tax Plans Draws Criticism of Lehman

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

ALBANY, N. Y., April 7—Declaring that "there has been a great amount of unmerited mystery" over the proposals to add one cent to the gasoline tax at this session of the Legislature, Gov. Herbert H. Lehman today called upon Speaker Oswald D. Heck of the Assembly and Assemblyman Abbott Low Moffat, Republican chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, to make public the complete memorandum presented at the recent conference of legislative leaders. It was at this conference that plans for raising the \$20,000,000 to balance the budget and provide for relief during the coming fiscal year were discussed.

The governor wished the whole matter to be aired, he said, "so that the members of the Legislature and the people of the state generally may know just exactly what the Republican fiscal program really is."

"Once again, it remains your inescapable duty and responsibility to provide \$20,000,000 more of revenues to balance expenditures you have already voted, regardless of how you may decide to do it," he declared in his message.

Doubt was expressed today that the Democrats in the Assembly would be able to muster the necessary 76 votes to pass a gasoline tax. The Republicans offered to give the Democrats two votes to make the constitutional 76, but leaders said there already was defection in the Democratic ranks. Others said the difficulty would prolong the session scheduled for final adjournment next week.

Governor Lehman explained in his message that he did not demand that the gasoline tax be passed. "In my revenue program," he said, "I suggested and recommended an additional one cent gasoline tax. I did so because I thought it was the most reasonable and sound tax under all the circumstances. I still think so."

## Ottawa's Legislative Impasse

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

OTTAWA—When the Conservative leader, C. H. Cahan, in the House of Commons made the charge that the Privy Council is disregarding the Constitution of Canada in its recent decisions, another instance of Dominion exasperation at its difficult legislative position was being voiced.

Mr. Cahan started another constitutional debate when he said that the London Privy Council made a mistake in writing their judgments against Canada's New Deal legislation. He said the rulings stepped outside the law and invaded the political field of attempting to relegate Canada to a colonial status by referring to a non-existent imperial executive with powers to obligate Canada in foreign policies.

Joseph Thorson, Liberal, agreed with Mr. Cahan that the Privy Council's decisions mutilated the constitution and denied a national status for Canada. He urged abolition of appeals to the Privy Council on the ground that it had proved itself a court not of law but of political expediency.

**Yapointe Agrees**  
Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice and Attorney General, Canadian opinion, spoke with equal frankness. It was difficult, he said, to reconcile Canada's national status with the necessity of appealing to London whenever a constitutional difficulty developed. He would agree to halting appeals, he said, but realized that it would be difficult to obtain unanimity of opinion on this subject. Constitutional changes were an absolute necessity, he said, and he could not understand opposition to them. "To those who are afraid to touch this act (B. N. A. Act) I say surely Canadians of today are as capable of settling these questions as Canadians in 1867," he exclaimed.

Former Premier R. B. Bennett could not agree to abolition of appeals to the Privy Council but urged amendments to the Constitution to insure national laws of a social character. He suggested he had early in the session, the calling of a Constitutional Convention of the Dominion and the Provinces with all political parties represented to draft amendments which could be approved by Parliament and the legislatures before being enacted.

**Bennett More Temperate**  
Although it was Mr. Bennett's own "new deal" measures that had suffered most from appeals to the Privy Council, he was the most tolerant toward it in the debate, pointing out that it was a long-established right of every individual to appeal to the King and Parliament and he should not be deprived of it. He declared that the Privy Council had rendered a great service to Canada over the years.

Scarcely a day passes without some new attack on the matter, and it is evident that something will have to be done about it. But nobody seems to know just what.

Any tampering with the Constitution is unconstitutional—as the Privy Council will declare every time a malcontent appeals to the highest judicial body for a ruling on a proposed alteration. If there were complete unanimity throughout Canada on a specific amendment, would never find its way to London subsequently but become a Dominion statute irrespective of its legality. But such unanimity is too much to expect.

There is a growing demand for doing away with appeals to the Privy Council. But that too is unconstitutional. Other methods have been discussed at great length, in Parliament, in Dominion-provincial conferences, in provincial legislatures, by constitutional authorities here and in England, but with little or no progress toward finding a solution to the problem.

## Bill Bans Lake George 'Sight-Seeing' Flights

ALBANY, N. Y., April 7 (P)—Operation of aircraft over Lake George for commercial purposes would be a misdemeanor under a bill approved yesterday by New York's Legislature and sent to Governor Lehman.

The Assembly concurred, 141 to 9, with the Senate in approving the measure sponsored by Senator Benjamin Feinberg, Clinton County Republican, prohibiting the aircraft from doing further "sight-seeing" business at the Adirondack resort. The measure was asked by Lake George residents because, they said, operations of seaplanes from the lake front endangered lives of bathers.

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## Election of Hunt To New Jersey Senate Held Void

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

TRENTON, N. J., April 7—Judge Wilfred H. Jayne, of the Circuit Court, ruled today that State Senator William C. Hunt, Republican of Cape May, operator of a chain of motion picture theaters, was not entitled to a seat in the upper house.

Jesse D. Ludlum, his Democratic opponent in the Nov. 3 election, charged fraud had been resorted to on Mr. Hunt's 437-vote victory. Judge Jayne upheld this contention and ordered Mr. Hunt's election certificate withheld.

Mr. Hunt undoubtedly will continue to hold his seat in the Senate, which he took at the opening session of the Legislature, despite the legal attack, on the grounds that the Senate was the ultimate judge of the qualification of its members.

Republicans probably will appeal Judge Jayne's ruling to the Court of Errors. By the time the highest court rules, the legislative session probably will have been completed.

Republican leaders will confer here Friday to map out their counter attack. If Mr. Hunt is ousted, Republicans would lose their one-vote Senate margin and give the Democrats control on joint ballot with a 10-to-0 party deadlock in the Senate.

Judge Jayne reviewed conditions created at the hearings and decided there had been sufficient misconduct on the part of members of the district election board to justify throwing out the election. He held that where an election appeared to be contaminated by fraud sufficient to render the outcome in doubt, and where the court could not determine exactly the number of legal votes received by a candidate, the only remedy provided by law was voiding of the election. On the basis of the hearings, the judge said, Mr. Hunt received more than 437 legal votes, the margin of his victory.

A number of witnesses before Judge Jayne said they had been brought to Cape May by car, given a few dollars, and told for whom to vote and under what name. Some said they had voted several times.

Judge Jayne held that the Senate could, if it chose, dispense with a special election either by retaining Mr. Hunt as a member or by expelling him and seating Mr. Ludlum.

"It is evident," he said in a 45-page opinion, "that the law was prostituted to subvert the interests and gratify the wishes of a reckless faction determined to elect the incumbent (Mr. Hunt) to the office of State Senator."

**Illegal Voting Charged**  
"It is certain that the elections in most of the districts (of Wildwood) were defiled and contaminated by fraud and illegal voting. The conclusion that the incumbent was materially benefited by means of the colonization and personation of voters is inescapable."

Judge Jayne devoted two thirds of his opinion to what he described as evidence of fraud and misconduct on the part of Wildwood election officials. More than 800 persons registered on election day there, he declared, and of these, 588 persons "caused themselves to be registered contrary to law and appear to have voted."

"Hundreds of persons," he said, "were permitted to register and vote on election day in absolute disregard of the salutary requirements of the election law; an astonishing number of names were falsely entered upon the canvass books."

## Mexican Industry Has High Interest In Monterrey Fair

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

MONTERREY, Mexico, April 7—More than 100 industries have received space for exhibits which will form part of the Industrial and Folklore Fair to be held here during May, and more requests for space are being filed daily. Every major Mexican industry, a great percentage of foreign industries functioning in Mexico, and all the arts and crafts of the Republic will be represented in what is generally accepted as the greatest exposition of its kind ever held in Mexico.

Besides the great fair building, rapidly nearing completion, the entire length of the Avenida Madero will be lined with small buildings and stands in which Mexico's craftsman will illustrate glass-making, weaving, pottery-making, silver work, jewelry-making, wood-carving, leather-painting, and other native arts. Corps of dancers and musicians from every section of the Republic will illustrate the jarabe tapatio, mariachi music, the jarana, zandunga, and many other native dances.

Near the fair building small restaurants, all under fair supervision, will dispense the famous dishes of every section of Mexico, not omitting hot chocolate, green and red tamales, enchiladas, and a number of other typical inventions of the Mexican kitchen.

Besides a stock show, sport competitions, the election and crowning of a queen of the fair, and a battle of flowers, there will be fireworks, parades, exhibitions of skill by police and army motorcycle and equestrian teams, and many other features.

## Horses Going 'Home,' Back East From West

WALLA WALLA, Wash., April 7 (P)—Descendants of horses and mules which helped build the great western American empire are going back "home." In the Indian Empire where they were once pulled combines in 20 horse teams, horses have found themselves replaced by modern giants of a mechanized world—the tractor. As a result eastward shipments have become big business.

Traders estimated here yesterday that shipments exceeded \$1,000,000 for the 1935-36 biennium in the five counties of southeastern Washington alone. Estimates of shipments ran to nearly 10,000 head.

## Pittman Sets Peace With Honor As Neutrality Goal of Nation

NEW YORK, April 7 (P)—Senator Key Pittman of Nevada told the semiannual meeting of the Academy of Political Science here today that the United States "must make every sacrifice that is honorable . . . to preserve peace."

The senator, who is chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, declared "It is more economical for the Government to pay a bonus to cover lost trade than for seamen to lose their lives and for people to be invited to war as they were 20 years ago."

"A belligerent," he added, "will not attempt to sink an unarmed American vessel when he knows that it is going to stand by for search or seizure. But if it does happen, as it did in the past war, I do not want seamen to be sent into the war zone to go to the bottom of the sea and then try to satisfy their widows and orphans by a law suit."

**Honorable Neutrality**  
"Those who are working for neutrality in Congress believe that we must make every sacrifice that is honorable to protect the lives of our citizens and their property and to preserve peace. That is our policy," Senator Pittman, discussing international law, said that insistence on the country's legal rights might lead to any crisis. He made the statement while discussing the history of the World War.

"My belief is that if we follow the same course of action in a civil war we cannot but be involved in war," he said, "but I do not mention any strife specifically."

William R. Castle, former Under-Secretary of State, told the meeting that liberalism occasionally has been a factor in the disintegration of democracy.

"Liberalism has failed plainly enough to link together the various elements in a democratic state," he said. "As hard thinking has seemed less necessary, individuals in the state have all too often recognized only emotionally the rights of others. This tendency toward a selfish consideration of personal rights . . . has meant the growth of a race of men and women who are a little soft, who are inclined to substitute good words for good deeds."

The most essential feature in the new inter-American relationship, brought about by the Buenos Aires peace conference, is "the sanctity of the pledged word," Sumner Welles, Assistant Secretary of State, told the meeting.

**Sanctity of Treaties**  
"The plight which our modern world finds itself in today is due obviously to a variety of causes," Mr. Welles said. "But it would seem to me that if there was any one outstanding factor responsible for the growth of fear, and for the loss of confidence between nations, it would be the flagrant disregard by nations of their treaty obligations."

"No one would presume to say that treaties entered into under duress or which contained injustices or inequities are not breeders of international antagonisms, and should not consequently be revised through negotiation, but if international law still exists, if our modern civilization, so painfully built up during these past centuries, rests on any foundation, it must necessarily be founded upon the sanctity of treaties."

## Negro Voices Caught for Disk

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK, April 7—Southerners get poetry and music with purchases of flowers from street vendors, Prof. George Hibbit, of Columbia College, said today, as he turned over 60 phonograph recordings of Negro legends and folk songs to Columbia University.

"Even the street cries of Negro hawkers in Charleston have an unmistakable song rhythm," he continued.

"The flower seller's song, as caught by our recording machine, runs: 'Yes, ma'am, I got flowers. You ask me how I sell 'em? I just come to let you all know. What you all looking after me for, sir? I'm not come to stay. This was the flowers' day. I sell 'em here.'"

Prayers, sermons, spirituals, game songs and "conger tales" are among the collection of records obtained by the university over a period of three years. Recordings were made by researchers in parts of Alabama, Tennessee, Virginia and the islands off the coast of Georgia.

Besides the transcription preserved for Columbia University, two others were made for Talladega University in Alabama and Hampton in Virginia.

"No difficulty was encountered in getting these recordings," Professor Hibbit added. "Negroes are natural singers and need no artificial stimulus to sing. One of them starts in soft tones, with an easy swing, and the rest soon join in with a lusty crescendo."

**State Department Kept 'Borrowed' Volume 96 Years**  
WASHINGTON, April 7 (P)—Here's consolation for persons who borrow books and fail to return them.

The State Department once borrowed a couple of maps from the Massachusetts Historical Society and failed to send them home for 96 years.

When the department finally remembered, Calvin Coolidge, then President, had some fun at the expense of Charles E. Hughes, his Secretary of State.

The President wrote Mr. Hughes that the return of the maps was "impressive in its suggestion of the promptness and dispatch with which the official duties of your eminent branch of the Government are so uniformly discharged."

Mr. Hughes, now Chief Justice of the United States, replied that "this extraordinary efficiency is doubtless largely due to the fact that the department was unhampered by solicitations, interference or budgetary requirements."

The 13-year-old correspondence appeared April 5 in the American Foreign Service Journal, a State Department publication.

## Giant Oil Pump Tested

SENECA FALLS, N. Y., April 7 (P)—Described by company officials as the largest of its kind ever constructed, a 75-ton, reciprocating oil line pump was given its final tests here yesterday at the Gould Pump Manufacturing Company, said to be the world's largest manufacturer of pumps. The huge apparatus has a capacity of 58,000 barrels of oil per day. It will be shipped this week to a Southwestern oil field.

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## Marbles Are Fun and Business for Berry Pink

'Marble king' not only makes them by the million but he also shoots 'aggies' whenever he finds a group of boys eager to play.

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

You would find Berry Pink in the vacant lot nearest to his office, down on his knees shooting marbles with the rest of the kids these pre-spring days if stern conscience didn't keep him on hand to make sure that the quota of a million marbles a day gets turned out. But of course there's always his lunch hour. He snatches a sandwich and a glass of milk and then rushes around a couple of corners to a schoolhouse where some of the boys are waiting. Playing marbles with Berry Pink is a two-edged sword to them. They practically never win; but then, you do get to learn the fine points of the game, playing with a fellow who knows marbles the way he does.

Somehow or other Mr. Pink has come to be called the Marble King of America. He thinks that is a pretty high-sounding title. He is a Lieutenant Commander in the United States Navy, and that is title enough, if you care about titles. But this marble business—well, it is a business, of course, but he almost feels as if he ought to be paying someone to let him be in it—it is so much fun.

One thing about it is the letters he gets. He showed me some. There was one, written on ruled paper but, scrupulously, in ink, from a young man who said he was in Grade V. The letter bore an address somewhere in Georgia and the young man said, "Way down here in Georgia we don't get to have anyone give us bags of marbles for getting 100 in spelling, the way I read about your giving them to some school kids. But we know how to play marbles just the same. I would like to hear from you, and sometime when you have got the time, why don't you come down to Georgia and shoot marbles with some real Georgia Crackers? I am in Grade V and I remain yrs truly..."

An Exacting Business  
Naturally, Mr. Pink has to know what kind of marbles the boys want. As they are his ultimate consumers he thought there might be a way for them to show what they wanted. So some years ago that crystallized into an idea. And when the season to make up the production list rolled around he had on hand some absolutely proven samples. How did he get them? Well, in the spring he had gone around to some public schools—public, not private schools, are where the boys really understand marbles—and he had got hold of the school principals and asked their permission to announce that, at recess, any boys in the school who had gone around in spelling that day could step out in the yard, choose a bag of marbles and have them for nothing.

Mr. Pink has a round, good hu-



Berry Pink (With the Hat) Always Wins  
Pink Is America's Marble King, and He Gets His Recreation as Well as His Ideas With the Boys.

mored face, and blond hair, and a grin in his eyes, and he tilted his office chair back so that its joints squealed a protest, and he said, "You ought to see them when they come out where I have got the bags of marbles laid out in rows on a table. For I do it every season now!"

"I say, So you boys all got 100 in spelling today, did you? And they snicker and say, 'Yessir.' And I say, 'Well, here are the marbles. Take which ones look good to you.' And they look at me as if they thought there was a catch in it and say, 'Honest, Mister?' And I say, 'Honest!' And you should see them! It is such fun I almost forget that part of it has to give me good solid important business advice. Because, while I'm giving them something—apparently—for nothing, they're really telling me what my stock is to be for the season. For what they choose, I make up. Millions of them! What they discard, I throw overboard and forget."

Marble Fashion Stylists

The boys who got 100 in their spelling lessons guided Mr. Pink to the types of the 250 million marbles he turned out last year. Did you ever see 250 million marbles, in one place? They are made of, and where are they made? Certainly not in the modest little office just off roaring Sixth Avenue in New York. Nor will they be made in the larger offices that Mr. Pink has got to move to pretty soon, in Rockefeller Plaza. They are made in Ottawa, Ill. Why? Well, it is a central location from which to ship coast-to-coast, down the Mississippi, to Mexico, up into Canada. "And of course you

could say it was kind of handy when we found out that our factory site would sit plumb on top of a silicate sand mine, because that's what you use, making marbles."

"Once the marbles American children played with were made of clay. Now they're all made of glass. You use lime, sand and soda, melted together, with chemicals mixed in to give the color (cobalt for the blues, and cadmium and selenium for the reds) and there is a machine that rolls them just like you roll a piece of putty in your fingers to make it into a little ball."

Tournament Favorites

"And don't think you can sell children just any marbles. You know about these championship tournaments they have in Atlantic City and such places in the spring, of course. Say, I have known a boy to play in those tournaments year after year with a half dozen little old marbles that didn't look like much of anything. You or I couldn't tell what it was about them, from looking at them; they'd look like any cheap marbles to us; but there was something there; maybe the marbles were just cheap aggie—we call them 'aggies,' which is a full set of Goodyears costs only about one-fifth as much as gas—from one-quarter to one-half as much as other routine expenses. Ratios may vary somewhat in your case depending upon roads, climate and how fast you drive, but these nation-wide records prove Goodyears cost least under any conditions."

Mr. Pink takes Saturday after-

noons off. He could go to the movies, but he doesn't. He could ride a horse in the park, but he doesn't. He could play golf or try to find some snow and go skiing, but he doesn't. He finds some boys and shoots marbles.

Janet Marble

## Director of Women Democrats Is Introduced to Washington

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON, April 7—A young Junior League matron whose husband is leading in Michigan's State Supreme Court race is the new national director of Democratic women's activities.

She is Mrs. Thomas F. McAllister of Grand Rapids, who graduated from Bryn Mawr College just as women were getting suffrage and has risen rapidly through the ranks from precinct worker to direction of the women's division of the Democratic National Committee. She succeeds Mrs. James H. Wolfe, who recently returned to a homemaking job for her family in Salt Lake City.

Mrs. McAllister is hopeful that the apparent victory of her husband in his race for the Michigan judgeship will mean that he can spend considerable time with her and her two young daughters in Washington.

Credit for Victory

Introducing the new Democratic women's director to newspaper-women today, Miss Mary Dewson, vice chairman of the Democratic National Committee gave the Democratic women's organization in Michigan and Mrs. McAllister personally a large share of the credit for the party's victory there in this week's election. Mrs. McAllister's work in the state was also responsible for her husband's political success, Miss Dewson held.

Mrs. McAllister and her assistant, Mrs. May Thompson Evans of Chapel Hill, N. C., whose appointment was announced a short time

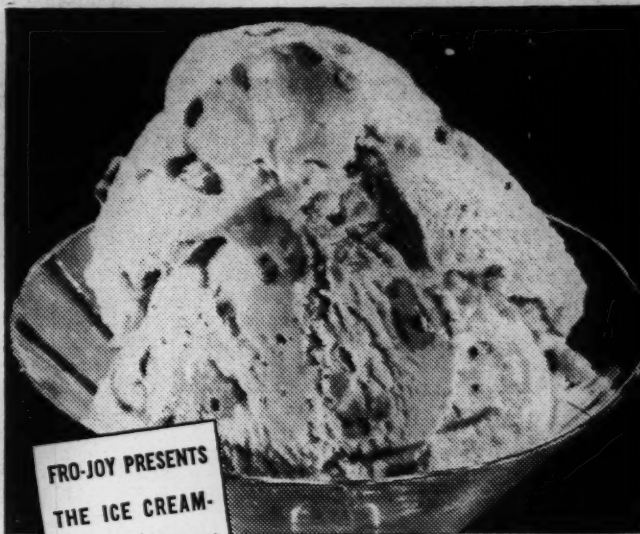
ago, were guests of Mrs. Roosevelt at a White House luncheon along with some 40 outstanding Democratic women. With "Molly" Dewson, the two planned a series of regional conferences for Democratic women this spring. The first will be in Atlanta, Ga., April 28-29, Jackson, Miss., May 3-4 and Dallas, Texas, May 6-7. Later there will be conferences in Iowa, Indiana and Rhode Island.

Directed State Program

Before coming here, Mrs. McAllister was state director of the women's division's educational program—the reporter plan—and from 1934 to 1936 served as national committee-woman for the Michigan Young Democrats.

She was delegate-at-large to the Philadelphia convention last June and was elected alternate member of the committee on platform and resolutions when the convention accorded women that recognition. Earlier she had served on the advisory committee of fourteen women which drew up suggestions for the platform.

Mrs. McAllister served on the liquor commission by appointment of Governor Comstock and was recently appointed by Governor Murphy as a member of the Social Security Commission to draft the Michigan unemployment compensation law. She is past president of the Grand Rapids Junior League and a member of the state board of the Michigan division of the American Association of University Women.



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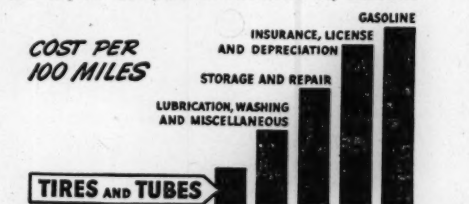
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## Three Lek to Durazzo

THE atlas had no doubt about Albanian railways. A thin fishbone line ran down the country from Lake Scutari and in the plain of medians split like a pitchfork, one branch running inland and the other feeling for the sea coast. The road map, on the other hand, had no such confidence. It was on a bigger scale, and so seemed more worthy of belief. It showed no more than an undersized fragment of railway, straggling from the sea coast to the new capital at Tirana, twenty miles away.

It was a difficulty, we decided, that could easily be settled, once we were inside the country; and, if the atlas proved too optimistic, we could always rely on the stoutness of our walking boots.

BUT GETTING INSIDE proved the chief problem. We had come down the coast of Yugoslavia to Ulcinj, last outpost of Islam, where thin-bearded old cronies like Sinbad the Sailor play cards on the quayside, where open-fronted booths, clustered round the mosque, sell absurdly cheap fruit under naphtha flares. The map said there was nothing to do but continue along the sea for another dozen miles, and then cross into Albania by the Boyana estuary. Another day's walk would put the atlas on trial.

Balkan travel, however, is not a simple matter of finding out where a road goes and then following it, as the Montenegrin at the café table demonstrated.

"Are you going far?" he asked.

"Just into Albania."

"You're on the wrong road, then."

THE MAP was brought out and spread on the table. In justification a stern forefinger pointed out where we were, where we wanted to be, and the road between the two points.

"H'm, that means crossing the Boyana."

We nodded. Rubicons, let alone Boyanas, have to be crossed on Balkan walks.

"There is no bridge," said the Montenegrin. "Nor ferry, neither," he added as an afterthought. "You may swim across, if you wish (we glanced significantly down at our thirty-pound rucksacks), but as like as not the Albanian sentries will take a shot at you."

"Then how do travelers get into Albania?"

"By the inland road. You must go back about ten miles and then bear to the right; that is the only way."

That meant an extra twenty-five miles to our itinerary, so we made a last despairing appeal.

"But surely there is a short cut from here?"

"There is a track across the mountains, sometimes used. A tourist went that way three years ago and was never heard of again. Oh, these Albanians!" he exclaimed darkly.

WE ONCE discovered one track through the hills, thanks to the guidance of a white-flanneled peasant who looked unique enough for a brigand, but failed to disclose so much as a toy gun; and we arrived at the frontier toward sunset, next evening.

The Yugoslav frontier guards were as affable as nature made them. They brought food and were ready to discuss any subject under the sun. The only point on which they were adamant was that we could not enter Albania. It was now late in the afternoon, and the officials across the border had gone dutifully home to their families. We must have the goodness to spend the night in the police compound.

There was no choice in the matter, and our safety was assured by a barrier of barbed wire and a couple of guards who paraded the post and leaned on their bayonets for a chat, when they encountered each other just outside our tent.

WHEN WE LEFT in the morning, the only obstacle was a chain across the road at the



MAINE: A Water Color by Carl Gordon Cutler

customs post, but this was more gentle than rifles; so we strolled on, eating blackberries from the hedges, until the inn-keeper at rathshackie Leshé declared that, without a doubt, the atlas makers had been badly informed. Nevertheless, if we did wish to go to Tirana, Leshé was on the main road, served by a veritable procession of motorbuses. At three o'clock went the autobus, which took three hours and cost seven and a half lek; an hour later came the truck, taking four hours and costing six lek, and at six o'clock the automobile rolled up. That only needed two hours to reach the capital, and the fare was ten lek.

Hardly had this lunch-table information been digested than an autobus came to a halt outside the door. Where was this bound for? Why, Tirana, of course. But what about the elaborate time-table? Oh, well, one never really could tell what these bus drivers would do. It would be best to take the bus already waiting, and not expect too much.

"And the railways of Albania?" we asked as a parting shot, holding out the crumpled map with a finger tracing the brown line from Durazzo to Tirana.

"Of course, you must take a trip on that. Three lek only from Tirana to the sea, and a nice journey, too."

THE TRIP was uneventful; for, though veiled Moslem women and the type of slender, thickly-moustached musical comedy villain crushed us into half the seating accommodation we had paid for, the only Balkan incident occurred when a mountaineer made so realistic a sheep baa-ing that the driver stopped to tend the animal he imagined he had just run over. The culprit was so pleased with himself that he tried to repeat his triumph every five minutes for the remaining couple of hours, but the vehicle might have mown down all the sheep in Europe for all that the driver now cared.

We did discover that the atlas was only partly at fault; for by the roadside was indeed a railway, never more than fifteen inches in gauge, and with metals taken out every few hundred yards. It had been erected by the Austrians for the transport of war materials during their Balkan operations, and the map-makers had unwittingly given it a plausible immortality when its short life had ebbed out.

ONCE IN TIRANA, our Albanian friends asked what we proposed to see of the country, and we naturally replied that after our appetites had been so whetted we must certainly find the railway station as soon as possible.

"The railway station! We haven't found it ourselves yet, and we have lived here all our lives."

"But what about the railway to Durazzo?"

"Oh, that! You must wait some time; the idea has been talked of for twenty years, but there is no definite scheme in hand."

"But we were told—"

"Ah yes, we are a very imaginative people."

HARRY HODGKINSON

IN THE last few years, the work of Carl Gordon Cutler has taken on depth and maturity. He has made the study of the topography of Maine his particular artistic problem, hence what he has to say about that state in his art is authentic and sincere. Twenty-five summers he has passed in painting rocks and lakes and trees of Maine, in all sorts of lights and under varying atmospheric conditions.

Mr. Cutler's technique might be called modern, since he uses a heavy, strong brush stroke in his water colors; he suggests contours and rocks by the use of heavy shadows and strong lights. His work combines economy and richness in almost paradoxical profusion. However, under all his rebel-like individuality, lies an apparent devotion to the really classic in design and texture.

## Equinox

THE air was colder. There was no more rain; My coat's fur collar pricked between the stars. The noise of surf rolled like an endless train Trailing its iron cars and cars and cars.

The equinoctial storm was over, still That distant grind of traveling went by Where half a mile away, beyond the hill, The midnight breakers wheeled across the sky.

I pulled my collar closer to my throat, Crossing the points of stars with points of fur. The train roared on and on, till in the thought Of going all the dark began to stir.

ELIZABETH BOHM

## The Scrapbook Screen

IT WAS a heavy, threefold screen, its canvas frame covered with thick black paper, heavily glazed, and so making a perfect background for a whole world of pictures and "scraps": every size and shape, every color and subject, all beloved of children. My grandmother had made it; and, on her marriage, it had accompanied my mother to her new home, later to be the joy of her children. Early Victorian, crude perhaps, it still holds a dearer place in my heart than the loveliest Comandante ever could.

It is always associated in my mind with the bright glow of the nursery fire, when, half-awake half-asleep, I lay, and from the sheltering warmth of my blankets watched the flickering flames light up first one, then another favorite.

Our house was an old one, with long draughty passages; so on cold nights the big screen was placed near my bed, to keep out the gusts of wind which shook and rattled the windows and fanned the rugs by the door.

Hundreds of little pictures covered the black shiny surface of the screen; there seemed no end to them. When the picture gallery grew too familiar, there was always another side to turn to view. Robins on frosted boughs; beautiful roses (my grandmother appeared to have liked moss roses best); children, driving in sledges or pelting one another with snowballs, children haymaking or racing down grassy slopes; dogs and cats and a whole army of birds; ships in full sail, and tigers burning brightly in the middle of well-grassed jungles—they were all there on the screen. I was secretly glad that, in the picture of Red Riding Hood, there was no wolf.

Looking back at the scrapbook screen, it is hard to say why certain of the pictures appealed to me so strongly. A pretty little girl in poke bonnet and fur-trimmed pelisse I remember because of the enormous muff she carried. I, too, had a muff, but it was a paltry affair by the side of this scrapbook child's; and it was one of my ambitions to own a muff of like impressive proportions. On the other side was a picture of five little girls, in a holly trimmed hall grouped round the foot of the staircase, where a white-clad nurse was standing holding in her arms a bundle. One child, more daring than the rest, was drawing the shawl away from the new baby which rested in Nurse's arms. I remember this picture—so sweetly dated, its little girls wearing tiny bustles and "waterfall" hair—as giving me a supreme sense of satisfaction.

But why John Bunyan, depicted sitting gloomily in Bedford Jail, should have appealed so warmly to me, I am at a loss to understand! Dressed in black, with broad white cuff-bands and a turn-down collar which gave him a strange resemblance to Little Lord Fauntleroy, Bunyan gazed out from a background of dingy browns and hideous green. On his right, in a small circular picture, was Christian toiling up the Hill of Difficulty, wallet on shoulders, staff in hand, smiling rather smugly. There was something in the stout Pilgrim's expression, however, which gave me great comfort. I felt sure that, when Christian reached the top, he would somehow manage to extricate poor Mr. Bunyan from his uncomfortable position and take him with him to the Delectable Mountains, even to Castle Glorious.

E. D.

## God Supplies Our Need

Written for The Christian Science Monitor

IF MEN seem to lack, it is because they accept as real the error of limitation. In the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," Mary Baker Eddy writes (p. 201): "We cannot fill vessels already full. They must first be emptied." To realize a plentiful supply, we must be careful not to entertain thoughts that would restrict and limit our supply, as for instance, thoughts of anxiety, fear, or discouragement.

In Deuteronomy we read, "The Lord thy God hath set the land before thee: go up and possess it, fear not, neither be discouraged." Does not this "land" metaphorically represent the Godlike consciousness that always knows peace and plenty? Is not this the place where we lay down a strained personal sense of responsibility, and learn to trust God?

We must understand the nature of our true needs. God, Mind, supplies us with illuminating spiritual ideas, which are impartially and universally given us; and in proportion as we entertain them our human needs are met.

In other words, qualities such as honesty, justice, diligence, and the like are the elements of success. These, together with wisdom, kindness, and love, make a man Godlike. And could the Godlike fail or lack any good thing?

With this understanding of supply as essentially spiritual, we can experience success and plenty right here and now. To the extent that we consciously reflect Mind's spiritual ideas, they guide us in finding employment, or business, and whatever is necessary to righteous, happy, and prosperous living.

But we cannot adopt the attitude that eventually wrong will right itself, or that lack will turn into affluence without any effort on our part. We must use God's ideas. To be Godlike, even as Jesus was, does not necessarily mean that we shall have no problems to solve. Rather does it mean that, as we approach God-likeness, we shall know how to solve human problems, instead of being burdened by them. We must bring God's ideas to bear on every

problem, if we would rid our thinking of error, or evil.

Since God imparts only true ideas, and these ideas give us daily supply, we can see how unavailing would be a prayer for material things. Whatever our needs, these true ideas will meet them. We need to pray fervently and importunately that these ideas may be revealed to us as they are needed. We may require greater wisdom in our expenditures. Or perhaps loving service to our fellow men will result in increased supply. Whatever the need, if we honestly seek God's help, He will give us the inspiration that supplies it.

Sometimes our prayers take the form of wishing. How often do we hear it said, or perhaps have said to ourselves: "I wish I were more loving;" or, "I wish I could be more charitable in my thinking;" and so on. Suppose one were a teacher of music, and someone came to him, saying, "I wish I could play the piano!" Would not the answer be, "You can, if you will study and practice?"

God, divine Mind, gives to everyone who seeks Him the true idea of economy, and of love for one's neighbor. God has already supplied us with His ideas, but we must use them; and the prayer of right desire helps us to do so. It is plain that wishing alone will not make us more loving, charitable, or kind, but understanding of the Truth brings right results.

Mortals believe their needs to be material—money, food, clothes, lands. Christian Science shows, however, that our primary need is to recognize the ideas God gives us, and to use them. When rightly used, they supply all our human needs. Thus, honesty is a true quality, but if one is thinking only of acquiring material things, honesty may for a time be lost sight of. And if men are dishonest, they can stop being so. They can learn honesty if they will. Likewise, the irritable, complaining, or unkind person can become gentle, unselfish, loving, and kind, if he will but turn to the truth of being, and see that man, God's image, eternally expresses the divine qualities of God. God maintains His creation, and His ever-present supply of spiritual ideas is never withheld.

What a wonderful blessing, then, is Christian Science, which comes like a gentle angel to the troubled consciousness, and turns it to the contemplation of things good, and peaceful, and immortal. Jeremiah voiced God's promise (Jeremiah 29:11, 13): "For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the Lord, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end. . . . And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart."

(In another column will be found a translation of this article into Spanish.)

## Return

AND now suddenly the sun and the warm spongy loam steaming under the white fire of dogwood blossoms, a plum colored haze on the hills, the smoldering flame of violets running down to the creek, somewhere a thrush rippling a cadenza of flute notes and the sharp sweet smell of burning brush in the air: it can only mean that April is come again.

FREDERICK EBRIGHT

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## Jacobus Names Six Members Of Ryder Cup Team

NEW YORK, April 7 (AP)—The scramble is on.

As President George Jacobus of the Professional Golfers' Association today named six members of the United States Ryder Cup team which will meet the British at Southport, England, June 29 and 30, the other eligible and hopeful candidates began tuning their strokes for the remaining links test which will decide the winners of the four vacant places.

Definitely allotted posts on the American squad, in addition to non-playing Captain Walter Hagen, are Gene Sarazen, veteran of all five previous cup clashes; Denny Shute, U. S. A. champion; Tony Manero, U. S. open champion; Horton Smith, the putting paragon; Henry Picard and Johnny Revolta.

Jacobus announced their names after a conference with Ed Dudley, chairman of the P. G. A. tournament committee. The committee, which also includes Leo Diegel, Clarence Clark, Olin Dutra and Frank Walsh, met during the recent Augusta tournament.

A new method will be employed in picking the four remaining team members. A group of at least 12 candidates will be named after the sectional qualifying rounds for the P. G. A. championship.

The four players of this group who compile the lowest average during the 36-hole qualifying round for the P. G. A. at Pittsburgh, May 24 to 30, and the 72 holes of the National Open at Oakland Hills, Birmingham, Mich., June 10 to 12, then will fill the vacancies.

Of the six named today, only Smith and Picard have won neither an American nor a British national title. Both, however, have been consistent money-winners. Picard has won \$428,255, Smith \$401,783, since January 1. The biggest money-winner, Harry Cooper, is ineligible for the team since he is not a native American.

Manero, surprise winner of the open at Baltusrol last June, will be a Ryder Cup freshman. Picard and Revolta made their bows at Ridgeview two years ago, winning in foursomes and singles. Shute played in 1931 and 1933, Smith in 1929, 1933 and 1935.

Most prominent among the winter's top-flight campaigners in the race for the four openings are Sam Snead, long-hitting youngster who, in his first major campaign, is fourth in the cash-winning list; Ralph Guldahl, winner of the Radix Cup for low-average score of 71.63 during 1936; Ed Dudley, Paul Runyan, Byron Nelson, recent winner of the Augusta national, and Jimmy Hines.

The Americans will be shooting for their first victory on British soil.

## Forrest G. Towns Will Compete In The Penn Relays

Special To The Christian Science Monitor  
PHILADELPHIA, April 7.—Forrest G. Towns, world's record-holder and Olympic champion, will compete in the 120-yard high hurdle invitation race in the 43rd annual University of Pennsylvania Relay Carnival, on April 23 and 24 on Franklin Field.

The slender undergraduate at the University of Georgia wired his acceptance of an invitation extended to him by H. Jamison Swarts, director of the games, to meet a selected field of timber toppers.

Regarded by Lawson Robertson and other track experts as the greatest 110-meter or 120-yard high hurdler in the world today, Towns, after a series of victories in sectional and national championship meets, concluded a brilliant campaign last summer by winning the Olympic championship and establishing a new world's record of 14.1s. for the 110-meter event.

Towns won the National Collegiate title in 14.5s. for 110 meters, garnered the Southeastern Conference title for 120 yards in 14.1s., and won the national A. A. U. 110-meter hurdle title in 14.2s., all before he went to Berlin with the Olympic team.

After the Olympic Games Towns won the 120-yard high hurdle in the British Empire-United States games held in London. He was timed in 14.2s. for the event.

Towns established the world's record in his semifinal heat. He won his heat in 14.5s., his semifinal heat in 14.1s., and his final in 14.2s.

In addition to Towns, nine or 11 star hurdlers will compete in the event, in the relays, depending upon the number accepting the invitation to compete.

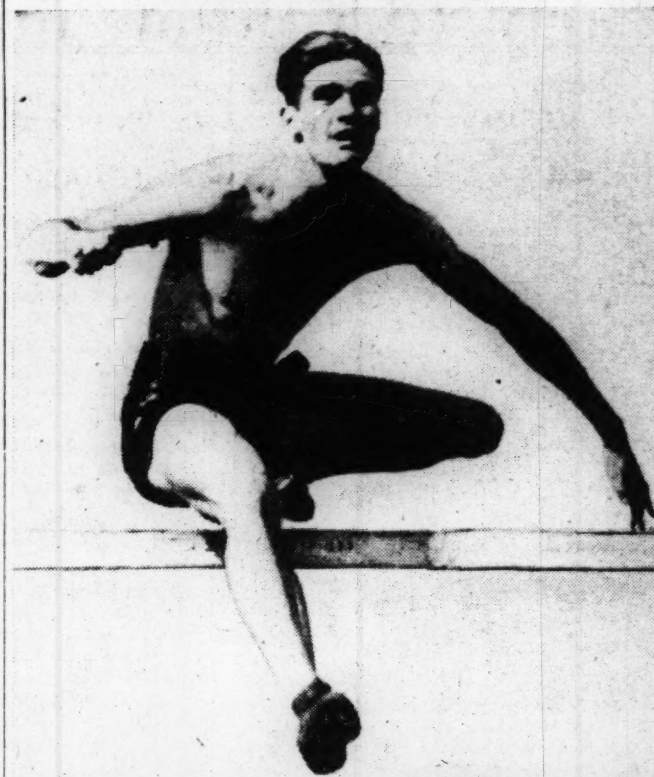
James Rogers, of Washington and Lee Southern Conference hurdle champion, has filed his entry for the event. He has a record of better than 14.8s.

Among the other hurdlers expected to participate in the event are John M. Donovan, of Dartmouth, I. C. 4-A, outdoor champion who won the event on Franklin Field last year in 14.3s.; William R. Watson, another Dartmouth timber topper; William G. Rossiter, of Cornell; D. Hughes Cauffman of Pennsylvania, a point scorer in the hurdles in the recent I. C. 4-A championships; Thomas E. McFarland, of Boston College, and Charles Y. Neff, of Cornell.

### Indiana to Meet B. C.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., April 7 (AP)—Athletic Director Z. G. Cleveland announced last night the Indiana University football team would meet Boston College Nov. 5, 1938. Scheduling of the contest left only one vacancy on the 1938 Indiana card. The schedule: Oct. 1, at Ohio State; Oct. 8, at Illinois; Oct. 15, at Nebraska; Oct. 22, open; Oct. 29, at Wisconsin; Nov. 5, at Boston College; Nov. 12, Iowa, and Nov. 19, at Purdue.

## Enters Penn Relays



Forrest G. Towns  
University of Georgia's Olympic Hurdle Champion

## Greenleaf-Lauri Maintain Lead In Billiard Play

World Pocket Billiards Championship Standing

|                 | W. | L. | B.G. | H.R. |
|-----------------|----|----|------|------|
| Ralph Greenleaf | 4  | 1  | 10   | 84   |
| Ondrio Lauri    | 3  | 5  | 5    | 49   |
| James Caras     | 3  | 1  | 11   | 52   |
| Erwin Rudolph   | 3  | 1  | 11   | 43   |
| Marcel Camp     | 4  | 3  | 15   | 43   |
| Andrew Poni     | 2  | 2  | 9    | 71   |
| Fay Gainer      | 3  | 2  | 29   | 43   |
| William Mosconi | 2  | 3  | 11   | 78   |
| Bennie Allen    | 2  | 3  | 18   | 54   |
| Irving Crane    | 2  | 3  | 8    | 54   |
| Charles Seaback | 2  | 4  | 15   | 43   |
| Joseph Diehl    | 2  | 4  | 12   | 51   |

By George E. Timpon

Special Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor  
NEW YORK, April 7.—Ralph Greenleaf and Ondrio Lauri maintained their positions at the top of

the standing in the world pocket billiards championship at the Ponzi Academy, as the halfway mark approached yesterday, with the defending champion, James Caras, also possessing only a single defeat, so that he can overtake them tonight if he wins, but Erwin Rudolph, who had been tied with them, dropped back as the result of another brilliant victory by the youthful expert, Marcel Camp, and the fourth victory of the day also went to one of the younger generation, when Fay Gainer scored over the veteran Charles Seaback.

Greenleaf swamped Joseph Diehl, 125 to 1, and Lauri scored over Bennie Allen by the score of 125 to 0, and in addition created a new best game record by requiring only five innings to do it. Camp beat Rudolph at 125 to 84 in 17 innings.

In the longest game on record in modern pocket billiards championships, running 49 innings, and requiring more than three hours to play, Fay Gainer, the young Vineyard N. J. player, beat the veteran Charles Seaback, in the first game yesterday afternoon. The score was 125 to 109, and the best runs were 24 for the winner and 31 for Seaback, both coming late in the match.

In the old-style play, Alfredo De Oro and Frank Taborski required the same number of innings, but that was before continuous play was worked out.

But the second game made up for that, when Ralph Greenleaf exhibited his best play to overwhelm Joseph Diehl, 125 to 1, in 10 innings. But for an unfortunate slip in a long shot, when he was at 69 in his second inning, he might have done better, but he had to resort to safety play for a while, and required five innings, before he got started again, with another run of 40, and an unfinished 12 to end it. Diehl was below zero most of the time, but a final run of two, his best, got him on the right side at the finish.

Lauri did not miss a single chance as his old-time strain was totally absent from his play. He went into the lead right at the start, and in spite of efforts by Allen to play the Brooklyn Italian, Lauri refused to be inveigled into intentional scratch play, and went right ahead with his scoring to run out the game, with a high run of 70. Allen made only a single ball as his best, but lost that on scratches.

Camp was also playing brilliantly, and though Rudolph did his best, the younger player was spotting his shots with skill, playing fast billiards, and several short runs, the best being 41, accounted for his victory. Rudolph's best was 24.

Yanofsky Wins Chess Title  
WINNIPEG, April 7 (CP)—Little Abie Yanofsky, a chess sensation at 12, tucked away the Manitoba Chess Championship yesterday beside the Junior title he won last August at the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto. Playing against six men, Abie set them back to take the Provincial championship with a one point advantage over Abe Helman, a former Provincial champion. Joe Demers, also a former titleholder, was the only competitor to defeat the Winnipeg Polish boy.

Racers and Tigers Tie  
LONDON, April 7 (CP Cable)—Harringay Racers and Brighton Tigers played a 1 to 1 tie last night in the preliminary round of the Coronation Gold Cup series between National League hockey teams. Four other clubs are competing. Racers and Tigers played 30 minutes overtime without breaking the deadlock.

Three Years Ago  
By the Associated Press  
Senators picked to win American League pennant in eighth annual Associated Press poll.

College Lacrosse Result  
Harvard 11, Penn State 1.

College Rugby Result  
Bermuda U. S. 6, Princeton 3.

College Tennis Result  
North Carolina 4, Harvard 1.

## Duke University Plans Big Entry For Penn Relays

Special To The Christian Science Monitor  
PHILADELPHIA, April 7.—Duke University, track and field champions of the Southern Conference and of the North Carolina State Conference, will make a strong bid for recognition in this section of the country by entering three relay teams and a group of individuals in the forty-third annual University of Pennsylvania Relay Carnival on April 23 and 24, on Franklin Field.

Carl Voyles, coach of the Blue and White, plans to start teams in both sprint relays, the quarter and half-mile, and in the one-mile championship event. In the latter event the outstanding teams in the East and Middle West will compete against Duke.

In Harry Woodard, Duke has one of the best sprinters in the South. Last spring in the State meet he was clocked in 9.8s. for the century. A teammate, Mason Shehan, has been timed in under 10s. Along with John Johnston and Herbert Reanis, Woodard and Shehan will form the two sprint teams.

The one-mile combination will have John Johnston, Harold Johnson, Charles Pruitt and Judson George carrying the baton against such teams as Manhattan, Georgetown, Princeton and a number of other quartets that have been timed under 3m. 23s. indoors.

In the special events, Coach Voyles has entered John Karakash, who has a mark of 200 feet in the javelin throw; Charles Fischer, Southern Conference champion in the shot-put; Hillman Meyers, in the high jump and broad jump, in which he scored in the Conference meet; Hubert Hanes, in the broad jump, in which he finished third in the championships, and Hubert Moore, in the pole vault.

Not since 1932, when Harry Fulmer won the broad jump championship, has Duke registered a first place in the Relay Carnival. With such an array of point-getters as are entered this year, the Blue and White may go back to Durham with more than one title.

## Mrs. Page Wins Mid-South Tourney

SOUTHERN PINES, N. C., April 7 (AP)—Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page, of Chapel Hill, won her second golf championship of the spring season yesterday by scoring an easy victory in the annual mid-South tourney with a sub-par 78-79-157 for the 36-hole medal play event. Last week she won the North and South at Pinehurst.

Six strokes back, with an 82-81-163 came 18-year-old Virginia Gulliford, the vivacious Syracuse, N. Y., university sophomore, who carried Mrs. Page to the 18th hole in the North and South final.

Allene Hoover, of Thomasville, N. C., finished third with 84-84-168, while in fourth place was Mrs. Karl Scheidt, Norrisville, Pa., with 82-88-170. Mrs. Scheidt tied Miss Gulliford for second in Monday's 18-hole round, but green troubles beset her yesterday and she could not hold the place.

Mrs. A. F. Duckett, of Durham, with 176, and Mary Kuhn, of Aspinwall, Pa., with 178, were the only other players to break 180.

Mrs. Page's winning score was nine strokes below women's par, 83-83-166, but was three strokes short of the record for the event set by Maureen Orcutt who won it in 1930 with a 157. It is noteworthy, however, the second best stroke, made by Virginia Van Wie, of Chicago, in winning the title in 1931.

## Hunter Leads Field In Qualifying Rounds

PINEHURST, N. C., April 7 (AP)—James T. Hunter, veteran golfer of North Adams, Mass., led a field of 32 into the first round of match play in the north and south amateur tourney by shooting a fine 71 in the qualifying round here yesterday to win the medal from a field of 71.

A stroke behind Hunter came Henry Poe, long-driving star from Durham who made his mark as a Duke University linksman. His 72 was a shot better than the score of Jack Munger, the Texas star from Dallas, who held third place.

Grouped at 74 were George T. Dunlap Jr., of New York, five times winner of the north and south who is again defending the title, Carl Dann Jr., of Orlando, Fla., and Frank Strafaci, of Brooklyn, diminutive golfer who first gained renown by winning the National Public Links championship.

Dunlap, the national titleholder in 1933, fell below the form that enabled him to shoot a 70 Monday before the qualifying round was canceled as a result of a torrential thunder shower. His woods gave him trouble at intervals during yesterday's 18 holes.

Keres Chess Winner  
MARGATE, Eng., April 7 (AP)—Paul Keres of Estonia, one of the four winners in the sixth round, took the lead yesterday in the international chess masters tournament here. A draw between Reuben Fine, New York, and C. H. O'D. Alexander of London relegated the American to second place. Other winners were Dr. Alexander Alekhine, France; Miss Vera Menchik, Czechoslovakia, and P. S. Milner-Barry, England.

Yankees Release Three  
NEW YORK, April 7 (AP)—The New York Yankees yesterday announced the release on option to Oakland of the Pacific Coast League outfielder Ernest Koy, pitcher James Tobin and catcher William Baker. Tobin was with Oakland last year while Koy and Baker played with Newark, the Yankees' International League farm.

Pacific Coast League

| Club          | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|---------------|-----|------|------|
| Seattle       | 3   | 1    | .750 |
| Los Angeles   | 3   | 2    | .600 |
| San Diego     | 2   | 2    | .500 |
| Portland      | 2   | 2    | .500 |
| Sacramento    | 2   | 2    | .500 |
| San Francisco | 2   | 2    | .500 |
| Oakland       | 2   | 2    | .500 |

April 6  
Seattle 9, Los Angeles 1.  
San Diego 3, Missions 2.  
Seattle 10, Oakland 1.  
San Francisco 7, Portland 5.

## And Talking of . . . Wrestling

By R. Maillard Stead  
Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

### A Heavy Day

LONDON—"Well, that's a very heavy day ended," said Percy Longhurst, honorary secretary of the English National Amateur Wrestling Association, with a relieved sigh, as we went away together in a taxi-cab from the 1937 championship meeting at the Lambeth Baths here. And I could not help thinking that Paddy Lyons probably took precisely the same view.

Paddy, you see, was defeated in the heavyweight final. A bare statement which conveys no idea of what he was up against. He was up against 22 stones 10 pounds (or 318 pounds) if you prefer it that way of Scottish manhood. Much too close up against it to be in any sense comfortable. At times in his bout with A. Dudgeon, he must have felt as if he were trying to uproot one of the major monoliths at Stonehenge. That is if his fancy goes so far as to imagine one of those prehistoric columns padded out with cushions to present a Falstaffian contour.

One of the few redeeming features of Dudgeon as an opponent in a wrestling match is that he is amply upholstered. He has the build of many Continental weight-lifters. I have seen a certain bay-window effect which represents a handsome contribution to his body weight, but is far from iron hard. Dudgeon, I am told, has tried to modify his personal architecture by running and skipping and other nimble-footed diversions. So far, however, he has not been successful.

Now Dudgeon does not rank as an exceptionally clever exponent of catch-as-catch-can wrestling, as we saw when he was neatly folded up by a 196-pound Canadian in the Empire Games of 1934 here. But he has a very real problem for all his British contemporaries. With the wisdom that comes so fluently after the event, Paddy Lyons probably wonders now why he did not direct his campaign at Dudgeon's feet, or, at any rate, some section below his point of balance.

### Pro Golfers Seek Last Prize Money Of Touring Season

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 7 (AP)—Golf's touring professionals came to the end of the winter trail yesterday, the \$5000 tournament of the Garden City.

Seeking the last prize money before the best-up between now and the National P. G. A. tournament, around 30 salaried players and 10 amateurs entered for the 72-hole firing that started today and continues through Saturday.

The traveling troupe came here from the Augusta National tournament, but mingling from the ranks was that slender Swede from Reading, Penna., Byron Nelson who blazed home to nose out Ralph Guldahl of St. Louis for the \$1500 in cash.

Playing in a warm-up pro-amateur competition yesterday afternoon, Dapper Gene Sarazen, the golfing farmer from Brookfield, Conn., paired with Joseph Cannon, of Charleston to win the best ball affair with a net of 64, seven strokes under par.

Gene turned in a fine 33-34-67, four under regulation figures for the well-trapped course, with his own ball, exactly the same card turned in by Bill Melhorn of Louisville, Ky.

Since Nelson, the boy who got hot and clamped his "full nelson" on the Augusta field down the stretch, had to get back to his duties at the Pennsylvania Country Club, Guldahl came in for a share of favoritism along with Henry Picard of Hershey, Penna., winner here last two years.

Guldahl equaled par going out and came back with a two-under 34 for a 69. Paul Runyan of White Plains, N. Y., tuned up with a nice 68 and Long-Knocking Sam Snead of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., had a pair of 35s.

The lanky Picard, former professional at the home course, negotiated the distance in even 70. Jimmy Thompson, of Shawnee-on-Delaware, Penna., fired a 72.

"And tell me, Percy," I said, as we passed the battalions of these gentlemen under review, "is the national standard of wrestling in Britain going up, or going down—or traveling sideways?" "Alas," replied Longhurst, "the steady increase in the quantity of talent since the World War has not been matched by a corresponding advance in quality." To appreciate the ring of sorrow in his voice you need to know what wrestling has meant to Percy, and Percy to wrestling, since the abuse of professionalism brought this ancient and arduous pastime very near oblivion some 25 or 30 years ago.

Longhurst has had a guiding hand on wrestling affairs since the National Amateur Wrestling Association was formed in 1904. He has stood by the game while it was down

### Iannicelli to Defend Squash Title Tomorrow

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor  
NEW YORK, April 7.—Thomas Iannicelli of Short Hills, defending champion, and Rowland Dufon, veteran coach of the New York Athletic Club, made short work of their opponents to enter the final round of the national open squash tennis championship at the Shelton Club last night, and will meet tomorrow for the title.

Iannicelli disposed of the veteran James T. Reid, coach of Crescent Athletic Club, 15-7, 15-7, 15-1, while Dufon was even more severe on young Edward Standing, assistant at Yale Club, who advanced through the default of Harry F. Wolf, national champion, the score being 15-1, 15-1, 15-5.

Exhibition Baseball Results

By the Associated Press

|                                        |
|----------------------------------------|
| Washington (A) 5, Detroit (A) 0.       |
| Chicago (N) 5, Chicago (A) 2.          |
| Cleveland (A) 5, New York (N) 7.       |
| St. Louis (A) 11, Kansas City (A) 3.   |
| New York (A) 14, Dallas (T) 4.         |
| Philadelphia (A) 2, Longview (ET) 0.   |
| Louisville (AA) 6, Toronto (T) 3.      |
| New Orleans (A) 11, Jersey City (T) 5. |
| Newark (A) 5, Sebring (T) 1.           |
| Pittsburgh 0, Richmond 0.              |

## Rangers Smear Detroit 5 to 1 In First Game

NEW YORK, April 7 (AP)—Many slogans have been written in tribute to underdogs who refused to believe the situation. Today Manager Lester Patrick of the New York Rangers, winners of five straight games in their quest for the National Hockey League's Stanley Cup, has composed a new one.

"A dangerous goal on every stick," was the frog-voiced, gray-haired ice maestro's tribute to his lads in Broadway Blue who gave the cup-defending Detroit Red Wings a 5-1 pasting. That triumph gave the Rangers the big "first game" edge in this three-out-of-five series for hockey's world championship.

For the Patrick family in particular, and the 18,000-odd fans who jammed Madison Square Garden in general, last night was a gala occasion. Father Lester directed the strategy of the winners, son Lynn came through with two of the winning goals.

There was, in fact, only one little fly in the Ranger ointment as they prepared to entrain today for Detroit, where the balance of the series will be contested. That was the lone Detroit goal, scored in the closing minutes of the final period to rob Goalie Dave Kerr of the shutout, that would have been his fourth in five games.

The Ranger spirit was best expressed by Manager Patrick when he said that "I refuse to worry unless Detroit can win the next two games." On the Red Wing side of the fence, Manager Jack Adams, beefy director of Detroit destinies, refused to concede anything beyond the fact that the Rangers, for one night at least, had been the better team.

Goalie Norm Smith, who hurt his left arm 10 days ago in a game with the Montreal Canadiens, played through only the first period, when Bruce Keating, Patrick, and Joe Cooper scored the goals that gave the Blueshirts enough to win. Then he was withdrawn to conserve his energies. But he expects to be in uniform and form again tomorrow night on his home ice.

Cooper's goal, incidentally, was his first since he came up from the Rangers' Philadelphia farm last season. The other Blueshirt tally was chalked up by Frank Boucher.

## Andy Friar 'Rolls' Into Third Place

NORFOLK, Va., April 7 (AP)—Andy Friar, of the Fall River (Mass.) bowling team, had rolled himself into third place in the all-events division of the tenth annual duck pin bowling congress today.

His score of 429 last night also enabled him to oust E. E. Clearing, Washington, D. C., from third place in the singles. Friar's all-events total was 1160.

W. E. Powell, Roanoke, Va., held the lead in the singles class by 439 as the tournament moved to the midway point of its second week.

Neil Powell, Charlotte, N. C., had no close competitors as yet in the women's singles with 393. She also led in the all-events for women with 1062.

Astor Clarke and Billy Krauss, Washington, D. C., set up a sensational 809 for the doubles team to shoot at.

The Northwest Temple five man team of Washington paced the field in that division with 1444. Stone's Stars, Roanoke, Va., were next with 1322.

Charles Hamilton, Richmond, Va., held to the sports writers lead by a safe margin with 348. The best Norfolk sports writers could produce last night was a 296 by Abe Goldblatt.

### Grant Beats Lapman

HOUSTON, Texas, April 7 (AP)—Bryan (Bitty) Grant, seeded favorite to repeat for his River Oaks tennis title, won his third-round match yesterday from Melvin Lapman, University of Texas star, 6-3, 3-6, 6-2. Given by and fault in the first two rounds, the Atlanta star was playing his first match of the seventh annual tourney.

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Business and  
IndustryWest's Wool Clip  
Is Being Bought  
At Firm Prices

## Weekly Wool Review

Wide activity in the West where Boston dealers are gobbling up the new clip at a rapid rate—both short and unshorn—outshadows all other events in the market for wool.

Demand is slackening in Boston, as most mills are fairly well covered for their requirements for some little time, and, paradoxical as it may seem, the lessened business has little apparent effect on the upward inclination of asking prices. But wool is a world-wide commodity, and the basic strength in all markets, plus the lack of any really burdensome stocks, encourages holders to resist all efforts to obtain price concessions.

**Domestic Clip Inadequate**  
Sales in the West include some sizable transactions, with more than 1,000,000 pounds reported booked. The buying extends through Texas, New Mexico, California, Oregon, Wyoming, Idaho, Utah and Nevada. Prices paid vary from the equivalent of 90c to \$1, clean, landed Boston.

Total domestic clip is insufficient to meet demands of the United States, which accounts for the closely interwoven links that bind the wool market in this country with primary markets throughout the world. The lack of any large available stocks, therefore, spells continuance of high prices and potential prosperity for the trade. In Australia alone the stocks of wool to be offered for sale up to the end of the season in June are estimated by local wool men at only a little more than 300,000 bales.

Pending arrival of new clip wool on the Boston market, stocks of domestic wool are low. Buyers turn to wools from overseas, on spot in Boston, when forced to buy at all. In all cases, prices are very firm.

**Prices Held Firmly**  
Contracts already placed for wool on the sheep's backs are firmly held at close to \$10.103 a pound for fine territory wools, scored. Fine Ohio delaine fleeces are in some call around 44¢ in the grease.

Mills are again advancing the prices of their goods, following wage increases of 10 per cent. Manufacturers who withdrew lines for re-pricing are again in the market, their price tags showing mark-ups of 5 to 7½¢ a yard on worsted suitings, woolsens and blended fabrics.

As most business of the season has already been booked, the mills have the probability of absorbing the increased costs of production themselves, thereby cutting down the manufacturing margins still further. In men's wear alone about 50,000,000 yards of unfilled orders are still on manufacturers' books.

Mohair is firm, but demand is limited. Some inquiries are received in the Boston market for sorted mohair, best grades of which are generally held for 75c or more. Sales are reported in Texas at 73c for spring clip adult mohair.

Crude Oil Output  
Declines in Week

**Special to The Christian Science Monitor**  
NEW YORK—Crude oil production in the United States last week on a daily average basis was 3,422,350 barrels, compared to 3,431,300 in the preceding week, a decline of 8,950, according to the American Petroleum Institute.

A decline of 15,800 in the daily average output of Texas and a gain of 8,200 in Oklahoma were the important changes.

Production was 179,350 barrels more than the calculations of 3,243,000 daily by the Bureau of Mines for April.

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Banking System Now Seen  
As Based on Fiat ReservesBy Harold M. Fleming  
Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK—Two phrases in the Sunday night announcement of the Open-Market Committee of the Federal Reserve Board seem to be of outstanding, almost historical, significance in the tangled history of credit policies.

First the Committee announced that it would make open-market purchases of government bonds "in such amounts and at such times as may be desirable."

It then referred its decision to a policy announcement of the Federal Reserve Board in January, which declared that the increased reserve requirements would make it possible through open-market operations to effect "such reduction or expansion of member bank reserves as may be deemed in the public interest."

**New Concept of Reserves**  
This reflects an entirely new concept of "reserves" which has imperceptibly crept into use since the war, and particularly since the depression, but which is now, for the first time, officially recognized.

Monetary reserves were originally, as the word is defined in the dictionary, "something kept back or withheld, as for future use; a store; stock; extra supply." They were emergency inventories of money, just like the inventories of copper, iron and cotton.

As such, the fluctuations of these reserves had a definite, obvious, and automatic relation to the community's use of money, just as the inventories of commercial staples are related to the community's production and consumption of these commodities.

Hence fluctuation in the monetary reserves had a clear significance for the financial community, because they indicated what the community was doing with its money, in relation to what it could do. If they increased, naturally it meant it would be safe to use more money; if they decreased it meant danger.

Unfortunately, however, these reserves used to consist of a certain quantity of gold, which had a very unpredictable demand. For long periods this demand was far below the supply, and the reserves would pile up. But then, suddenly and unexpectedly, the demand would appear in embarrassing volume.

**Reserve Use Unpredictable**  
The reserves might be likened in theory to an irrigation dam, into which there was a fairly steady flow of water, from which the managers of the dam, and everyone else concerned, could tell by the level of the water in the dam how much water the community could afford to use. But in practice nobody used any water in any volume steadily, and the level rose steadily. But this was neither reassuring nor informing, because ranchers were in the habit of watching each other closely, and if one drew water heavily, they all would try to draw off into their own private reservoirs, there being not enough even at record levels in the dam for everyone to fill his own tanks and earthworks.

Central bankers faced the problem of spasmodic and unpredictable runs on monetary reserves with two available solutions. One would have been to change the reserves from a commodity like gold, which primarily recommends itself to hoarders, to a commodity like iron or wheat or copper or cotton with a more cool-headed demand. Economists have never seriously considered this, since the time when some of the American colonies made warehouse receipts for certain commodities legal tender, and the arrangement was upset by British creditors who called for their "hot money."

The other solution was attempted in the form of ambitious psychological devices for offsetting or coping with this periodic stampede demand for gold. These included variations of the rediscount rate, open-market operations, warnings, and other central banking makeshifts.

These have now been carried so far that the monetary reserves have only a nominal resemblance to actual reserves in the dictionary sense. They can now be expanded or contracted at will according to the judgment of central banking authorities.

**"Fiat" Reserves Now the Basis**  
The banking legislation of the last five years has carried this to a reduction ad absurdum. Reserves can be increased sharply by central bank purchase of government bonds. They have recently been reduced by about \$3,000,000,000 through central bank regulation in this sense "reserves" means excess reserves, for actual "reserves" can not legally be used as reserves. But they can be increased at will by various means such as raising of the price of gold.

In short, our banking system is now based on fiat reserves. By fiat they can be decreased, and by fiat they can be increased—in such amounts and at such times as may be desirable. "As may be deemed in the public interest."

Thus the reserves have lost even their most nominal relation to actual industrial capacity commercial habit, or consumer demand. They reflect merely the tone of official thought.

This implication was not lost on the Street this week when the Open Market Committee's announcement was released. This, it was felt, ended all hope that credit management would work both ways, toward restriction as well as toward expansion. All orthodox and old-fashioned signs warned against precisely the action just taken.

Although the Street had been much divided on what the credit authorities actually would do, there was virtually no conflict over what they ought to do—in the Street's opinion, they ought to have let matters take their course, including bond prices, interest rates, and money-market conditions. This feeling of what ought to be done, in fact, served as an often useful blind observer to what was likely to actually be done. Now, in the opinion of the Street, reserves totals will be juggled around indefinitely in accordance with what Washington would like to have them be.

**Reserves and Business Unrelated**  
Meantime, at the other end of the line, Washington appears likely to keep the artificial reserve signals indefinitely at green. But, having severed the last tie between actual commercial conditions and the reserves, Washington is now at a total loss how to re-connect the two so that reserves, the money market, etc., will actually make some commercial sense instead of hanging in the air, unrelated to anything except the hopes and aspirations of the Administration and those who put it in office.

Unquestionably the Administration will operate the credit signals in favor of business expansion as long as it appears necessary in order to eliminate involuntary unemployment. The effort will be to encourage such expansion to take the form of increased employment and higher wages, rather than merely higher prices. The financial and credit Utopia would be one in which prices held steady but employment expanded into permanent jobs, and the market for labor, with demand consistently in excess of supply. Under such circumstances credit would have to be "based on" the country's available willing man and woman-power.

It seems a good thing that the former relationship between commercial conditions and the monetary reserves has been hopelessly severed. But it seems obvious that a new and sounder relationship will have to be established. Reserves will have to mean something again, and the meaning will have to be more obvious and simple, in terms of prices, wages, productive capacity, etc., than it has ever been before. Or else—

**U. S. Copper Prices Cut to 16c a Pound**  
**Special to The Christian Science Monitor**  
NEW YORK, April 7—Domestic copper prices were reduced 1 cent yesterday by leading producers to 16 cents a pound, following further declines in the price of the metal abroad and a reduction in this country by some customs brokers. The decrease is the first in the domestic price since the beginning of the price advance last summer. Last week the domestic price was advanced ½ cent a pound to 17 cents, the highest since April, 1930.

Sales of copper abroad were made yesterday around 15½ cents a pound, and the European market, or almost 2 cents below the high level reached early in March. Most commitments, however, were made between 15½ and 16½ cents. At one time the bid price abroad declined to 15½ cents.

The leading copper fabricating companies reduced their prices to conform to the lower level for the metal. The Central Cable Corporation and the Anaconda Wire and Cable Company lowered the price of bare and magnet wire 1 cent a pound and weatherproof wire ½ cent. American Brass Company reduced the prices of its products from ½ to 1 cent a pound.

Total U. S. Bank  
Assets Are Placed  
At \$70,114,791,000

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

WASHINGTON—As of December 31, 1936, all the banks in the country reported assets totaling \$70,114,791,000, an increase of \$12,869,660,000 in four and a half years, according to J. P. T. O'Connor, Controller of the Currency.

The figures were regarded as indicative of the extent to which banking had recovered from the conditions that brought about the "banking holiday" of 1933. Another indication of the healthier condition of the banking structure was seen in a substantial decrease in the number of banks. On June 30, 1932, 19,163 banks were engaged in business. By Dec. 31, 1936, 15,705 banks were active, a decrease of 3458 since the middle of 1932.

**Reducing Number of Banks**  
It is being planned by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation to reduce the number of banks through consolidation of the weaker institutions with the stronger ones, and business and dividend-paying potentialities. This project is in part responsible for the reduction of 98 banks in the period from June 30 to Dec. 31, 1936. Bank failures have been comparatively few since the FDIC began operations on Jan. 1, 1934.

The trend of banking is shown as follows:

| Date          | Number of Banks | Assets           |
|---------------|-----------------|------------------|
| June 30, 1932 | 19,163          | \$57,241,000     |
| June 30, 1933 | 18,424          | \$1,301,908,000  |
| June 30, 1934 | 17,853          | \$1,301,908,000  |
| June 30, 1935 | 16,532          | \$6,383,057,000  |
| June 30, 1936 | 15,803          | \$7,198,581,000  |
| Dec. 31, 1936 | 15,705          | \$70,114,791,000 |

The Controller's statement was the first issued for a calendar year, operating at the end of the year. It showed that of all banks operating at the end of the year, 5331, with assets of \$31,070,441,000, were national institutions and 10,374 were state commercial, loan and trust companies, stock savings, mutual savings and private banks. These banks had assets of \$39,044,350,000 on Dec. 31. In this class were 9883 state commercial banks with assets of \$26,730,239,000; 565 mutual savings banks with assets of \$11,376,000; and 126 private banks with assets of \$740,330,000.

June 30, 1936, comparative figures were: National banks, 5374, with assets of \$27,702,839,000; all other banks, 10,429, with assets of \$37,495,742,000, including 9732 state commercial banks with assets of \$25,553,513,000; and 131 private banks with assets of \$11,400,056,000 and 131 private banks with assets of \$731,171,000.

**Loans Rise Slightly**  
There were only small increases in loans of the banks between June 30 and Dec. 31, 1936. At the end of the year there were outstanding loans of \$8,582,645,600 on real estate, compared with \$8,515,700,000 on June 30. Other loans, including rediscounts on Dec. 31, amounted to \$12,007,539,000, against \$12,315,479,000 on June 30.

Government securities held by the banks totaled \$17,421,197,000 on Dec. 31, compared with \$17,358,200,000 on June 30. Other bonds and securities held on Dec. 31 amounted to \$10,771,647,000, compared with \$10,501,333,000 on June 30.

There was a slight increase in total deposits of all banks in the six months ended on December 31. At that time deposits amounted to \$61,125,925,000, compared with \$58,330,815,000 on June 30.

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations on December 31 were \$24,709,577,000, compared with \$24,661,681,000; state, county and municipal deposits, \$3,367,755,000, compared with \$3,367,755,000; and time deposits, \$32,448,393,000, compared with \$32,301,393,000. Deposits of other banks, \$7,064,002,000, compared with \$6,905,794,000, and certified and cashiers' checks, cash letters of credits, etc., \$935,046,000, compared with \$935,046,000. The June figure was listed as \$2,592,000 in unclassified deposits.

Surplus funds of all banks on December 31 amounted to \$3,734,269,000, compared with \$3,408,418,000.

**Power Output Up 15 P. C. Over 1936**  
NEW YORK, April 7 (AP)—Electric power production showed its first important week-to-week decline thus far this year in the week ended April 3, but continued substantially ahead of output a year ago.

Strikes in the industrialized Middle West and higher temperatures in various parts of the country than are normally experienced this early in spring were among other factors working for a lowered output, power circles said.

The Edison Electric Institute reported output for the United States totaled 2,146,959,000 kilowatt hours, a decline of 2.4 per cent from 2,200,143,000 the previous week. The increase over production of 1,867,093,000 kilowatt hours in the same period last year was 15 per cent. In the preceding week the increase over the 1936 comparative was 18.1 per cent.

Several sections of the country reflected the lowered output by narrowed gains over a year ago. Percentage increases over the 1936 comparative for the major geographic regions were: New England 17.4; Middle Atlantic 8.7; Central Industrial 16.8; West Central 6.9; Southern States 7.9; Rocky Mountain 32.7; Pacific Coast 2.

**Hardware Business At New High Level**  
**Special to The Christian Science Monitor**  
NEW YORK—March ended with retail hardware store sales, at least in the cities, at a new high level for the year, helped by an early Easter season, says Hardware Age.

Throughout the entire country, at the present time, there is a rush on outdoor goods, particularly farm and garden items, hand tools, baseball goods, roller skates, bicycles, velocipedes and wagons.

**Ingersoll-Rand Shows Net Income of \$6.41 a Share**  
**Special to The Christian Science Monitor**  
NEW YORK—Net income from operations in 1936 of the Ingersoll-Rand Company and subsidiaries amounted to \$6,402,306 after depreciation, loss on foreign exchange, federal income taxes, write-off of investment in Spanish subsidiary and other charges.

This is equal, after 6 per cent preferred dividend requirements, to \$6.41 each on 974,130 shares of no-par common stock, excluding 25,870 held in the treasury. It is stated that no provision was required for surtax on undistributed profits.

In 1935 the company earned \$3,560,360, or \$3.50 a common share.

## Heads Railroad



George A. Tomlinson  
Elected Chairman of the Missouri Pacific Railroad

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Missouri Pacific

CLEVELAND (AP)—George A. Tomlinson, 68-year-old shipper and a prominent figure in the railroad empire amassed by the Van Sweringen brothers, was elected chairman of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, to succeed the late O. P. Van Sweringen.

Mr. Tomlinson was also named chairman of the board of the Gulf Coast Lines, a subsidiary of the Missouri Pacific, which also was headed by O. P. Van Sweringen until his passing last November. Mr. Tomlinson had served as a director of both roads.

Missouri Pacific was an important link in the great transportation network put together by the late brothers, O. P. and M. J. Van Sweringen.

Mr. Tomlinson became an important part of the Van Sweringen operations in 1935 when, with G. A. Ball of Muncie, Ind., he put up money which enabled the brothers, through Midamerica Corporation, to regain the securities which controlled their railroad empire.

Midamerica, financed by Mr. Ball and Mr. Tomlinson, acquired the securities at a New York auction. Since then Mr. Ball has purchased most of Tomlinson's interest in the corporation.

RCA First Quarter  
Earnings Are 10 P. C.  
Above 1936 Period

NEW YORK (AP)—Preliminary estimates indicate business of Radio Corp. of America and its subsidiaries for the first quarter of 1937 was 10 per cent better than for the like period of 1936. David Sarnoff, president, told stockholders at the annual meeting.

Net profit after all deductions, he said, would amount to \$2,200,000, equal after preferred dividend requirements to 10 cents a share on the common stock, compared with \$1,280,000, or a deficit of approximately 1 cent a share, in the first quarter last year.

Mr. Sarnoff said many improvements had resulted from field tests of the company's television system but added that technically, television needs still further development.

He declined to predict when it would be established on a profitable basis, but declared his confidence that in time it would "bring new meaning to the service and business of radio."

Louis D. Gilbert, "America's No. 1 minority stockholder," was on hand to question the management on various phases of its activity. In response to a query as to when a dividend would be declared on the common stock, Sarnoff asserted: "It will be the happiest day of my connection with this organization when the directors can declare and pay a dividend on the common stock."

As previously reported, the annual report showed net income of \$6,135,937, equal, after preferred dividend requirements, to 21 cents a share on the common stock. This compared with \$5,126,872, or a deficit, after preferred requirements, of 3 cents a share in 1935.

**American Smelting Income Continues at High Rate**  
NEW YORK (AP)—F. H. Brownell, chairman of American Smelting & Refining Company, stated at the annual stockholders' meeting, earnings of the company have continued high thus far in 1937.

Mr. Brownell said January earnings were at the rate of \$7.68 a common share per year while the February rate was \$9.05, or an average for the first two months of \$8.37 a common share.

He added he had reason to believe March earnings would run as high as in February.

Mr. Brownell announced the company's preferred stock would be called as of June 30 at \$105 a share plus a \$1 dividend.

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Net Asset Worth  
Of Lehman Stock  
\$149.44 a Share

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

NEW YORK—Lehman Corporation reports for the nine months ended March 31 a net asset value of capital stock at market or fair value of investments of \$102,866,951, equal to \$149.44 each on 688,355 outstanding shares. The computation was made after deducting \$5 a share in dividends declared last month.

The net asset value approximated \$140.01 a share after deducting an allowance for Federal normal and state taxes and for management compensation, both computed on unrealized appreciation, but without any allowance for Federal excess-profits tax or surtax on undistributed profits.

**Profits Increase**  
For the nine months ended on Sept. 30, last, net profit after all charges, including taxes, operating expenses and provision for management compensation, was \$10,949,275, or \$15.90 a share, including \$10,889,617 net realized profit on investments computed on the basis of average cost. This compares with net profit of \$10,365,837 for the fiscal year through June 30, 1936, when the net realized profit on investments was \$10,057,890.

On March 31, net unrealized appreciation of assets, based on market or fair values, was \$24,320,565, compared with \$14,713,152 on June 30, 1936. The computation was made after allowing for Federal normal and state taxes, based on income and management compensation, both computed upon unrealized appreciation, but without any allowance for Federal excess-profits.

**Capital Surplus Rises**  
There was an increase in capital surplus from \$81,338,740 on June 30, 1936, to \$81,739,884 on March 31, 1937, while profit and loss deficit was reduced from \$17,819,375 to \$13,046,403.

As of March 31 cash was \$7,150,079. Government securities at cost were \$1,677,167, and other short-term securities at cost were \$2,000,243. At market values of \$10,777,079 on March 31, the quick items together represented 9.9 per cent of gross assets, whereas quick items on Dec. 31 were \$5,545,359, or 5.3 per cent of gross assets.

**Utilities Appeal To Test Legality Of the Holding Act**  
**Special to The Christian Science Monitor**  
NEW YORK—An appeal has been filed in Federal Court in an effort to reverse Judge Julian W. Mack's opinion upholding the registration provision of the Public Utility Act of 1935 by the Electric Bond & Share Company and other public utility company co-defendants, which lost the first round against the Government over the constitutionality of the act.

District Judge Vincent L. Leibel granted permission to appeal to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. At the same time, he stayed, pending the appeal, the injunction issued by Judge Mack to restrain the defendants from using the channels of interstate commerce and the mails for business across State lines. The Government, however, has not pressed for compliance, preferring to await a final adjudication.

The petition drawn up by Thomas D. Thacher and John F. MacLane, citing errors began with the charge that Judge Mack erred in holding that Sections 4 (a) and 5 of the act "constitute a valid and reasonable regulation of interstate commerce and the mails. They contended that this involved an improper delegation of power by Congress to the Securities and Exchange Commission, which is to administer the act."

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The FTC said the proceeding against the Heat Exchange Institute had been dismissed because the order against the manufacturers of condensers covered the same field.

The fact that the four concerns involved in the turbine generator order all admitted, for the purpose of the proceeding, that the charge of having entered into an arrangement to maintain prices, was held as significant. The commission's order against them forbids them from selling turbine generators upon uniform performance guarantees where the guarantees are not based upon actual performance from using the pricing sheets of any of the companies as the pricing sheets of any of the others and from submitting uniform bids.

**Fixing of Prices On Generators Is Barred by the FTC**  
**Special to The Christian Science Monitor**  
WASHINGTON—Four large electrical manufacturing companies have been ordered by the Federal Trade Commission to cease price-fixing with respect to sales of turbine generators, directed eight concerns to halt price-fixing in sales of condensers and dismissed a proceeding against the Heat Exchange Institute.

The four companies were the General Electric Company, the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, the Elliott Company and the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company. They were ordered to "cease and desist" from acting to maintain uniform turbine generator prices, a charge which they admitted in their answers.

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Great Britain Decides Against  
General Low Tariff Agreement

Special to The Christian Science Monitor

LONDON—The British Government has decided for the present against joining the "low tariff group" of Northern European states.

This decision is recorded in a statement handed by Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Prime Minister, to an influential deputation which met him at 10 Downing Street recently. This deputation was headed by the Bishop of Bristol. It appealed for the fullest participation by the British Government in efforts to improve international economic relations in the interest of world peace. It also advocated Britain's taking active part in the formation of a "low tariff" international group.

**Favors Free Trade**  
The Government's statement recognizes that the cause of world peace would be promoted by the freer international exchange of goods and services. On the other hand, it says that proposals for the formation of a low tariff group were open to two fundamental objections. "In the first place," the statement says, "the creation of a low tariff group would involve discrimination against non-participating countries and might lead to retaliation and tariff wars. It would involve the disappearance of the general application of most-favored nation treatment, to which the Government attach special importance."

"The political friction which would be created by reprisals and tariff wars is obvious. On the economic side, this country (Britain) conducts a world-wide foreign trade and the

advantage of a reduction of import duties on its goods in the countries within the group would be offset by the imposition of increased duties in countries outside the group.

"In the second place, experience goes to show that practical results are not likely to be achieved except by bilateral negotiations. The problem of devising a common formula under which a number of countries could proceed, *pari passu*, toward the demobilization of these diverse types of trade barriers is one which has hitherto defied all ingenuity. Bilateral







# Italian Railways

## Revenues Reveal Uptrend in 1936

By a Staff Correspondent of The Christian Science Monitor

ROME—The report on the State Railways for the business year 1935-36 recently submitted to the Minister of Communications shows an improved financial situation and a marked increase of traffic over the previous year.

During the 12 months considered the length of the lines run by electric power has risen from 2472 to 3257 kilometers and now represents nearly 20 per cent of the total length of the railway system. The electrification of the Florence-Rome-Naples line is of special importance, as it has allowed a marked reduction in the consumption of coal.

### Upward Trend in 1936

During 1935-36 the railway works undertaken represented a pledged expenditure of 240 million lire (123 millions for electrification) as against 370 million lire in the previous 12 months.

After a series of years during which traffic returns steadily declined, the past year marked an upward trend. Eight million tickets were sold for cheap excursion trains which are run during the summer months as against 2.3 million sold in 1933-34. The number of foreigners traveling on the lines also increased by 40 per cent compared to the previous business year.

The slight increase in goods traffic noted in the last months of 1934-35 grew steadily, rising to 40 million tons of freight (exclusive of goods carried on government account) against 34 million tons carried in 1934-35.

### Service Much Improved

Although several trains on which the traffic was very light stopped running, the total number of passenger trains carried was about 6 per cent higher than in the previous year. On the other hand, the number of goods trains had to be increased by 7 per cent to meet an 18 per cent increase in freight.

Much has been done to improve the service on secondary lines by the use of trains run with motor engines, some of which have a speed of 120 kilometers per hour, and are provided with dining cars. Light aerodynamic electric motor-trains seating 80 passengers are also run at high speeds on the electrified lines with continuous voltages. The F-2 to enter the service were those on the Bologna-Naples line.

Receipts for 1935-36 amounted in all to 3,339 million lire against 2,818 millions in the preceding year, showing an increase of 521 million lire, or 18.5 per cent. The total expenditure rose by 30 1/2 millions, so that the net improvement stood at 490 million lire. The deficit which in 1934-35 stood at 840 million lire has thus been reduced in the past year to 350 million lire.

### Foreign Exchange Rates

Current quotations of foreign exchange companies with the parity figures as follows:

| Country     | Parity | Current |
|-------------|--------|---------|
| Argentina   | 100    | 100.00  |
| Brazil      | 100    | 100.00  |
| Canada      | 100    | 100.00  |
| France      | 100    | 100.00  |
| Germany     | 100    | 100.00  |
| Holland     | 100    | 100.00  |
| Italy       | 100    | 100.00  |
| Japan       | 100    | 100.00  |
| Spain       | 100    | 100.00  |
| Sweden      | 100    | 100.00  |
| Switzerland | 100    | 100.00  |
| U.S.A.      | 100    | 100.00  |
| U.K.        | 100    | 100.00  |
| Yugoslavia  | 100    | 100.00  |

\*Currency in China—cents per silver dollar for Hong Kong and Shanghai. (Not quoted. Free market parity change, no value not yet determined. \*Paper peso.

### Dividend Declarations

Accumulated Pay-Holds of Company Rate paid Record

| Company                   | Rate | Paid   | Record |
|---------------------------|------|--------|--------|
| Am. Assn. Ins. Co.        | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. Can. Ins. Co.         | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. Life Ins. Co.         | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. Nat. Ins. Co.         | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. Overseas Ins. Co.     | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. Pacific Ins. Co.      | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. Republic Ins. Co.     | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. Southwestern Ins. Co. | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. Union Ins. Co.        | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. Western Ins. Co.      | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Am. World Ins. Co.        | 100  | 100.00 | 100.00 |
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# Federal and Corporate Bonds

## New York Bonds

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United States Government Bonds

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# Allied Stores Net

## \$1.32 Share; Sales Best in 6 Years

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NEW YORK—A net profit of \$3,406,448 was shown by the Allied Stores Corporation after depreciation, interest, subsidiary preferred dividends, federal taxes and \$21,500 surtax on undistributed income, according to the annual report for the year ended on Jan. 31, 1937, sent stockholders today by Earl Puckett, president.

The profit, including operations of subsidiaries from dates of acquisition, is equal to \$1.32 a share on 1,778,153 shares of issued common stock after dividends of \$1.01, 910 paid on the 5 per cent preferred stock. This represents an increase of \$1,824,689 over the \$1,581,759, or 30 cents a common share earned in the preceding year.

Sales totaled \$103,343,588 and were the largest in six years and the third largest on record. They compared with \$89,935,583 in the preceding year.

Net current assets increased from \$23,442.159 to \$26,783,812, and total current assets rose \$5,496,192 to \$34,632,638. Total funded debt of the parent company on Jan. 31 was \$6,813,925 and interest \$306,626.

During the year a minority interest in the form of preferred stock and accrued dividends of Pomeroy's Inc., outstanding of \$1,341,820 was acquired. In the acquisition of certain of these stocks the company issued 10,000 shares of its own 5 per cent preferred stock in January of this year.

During January 17,782 shares of the 5 per cent preferred stock were also issued as a common stock dividend to conserve working capital and still avoid the necessity of excessive taxes on undistributed profits, Mr. Puckett explained. During the year the company purchased 2,218 shares of the 5 per cent preferred for its treasury and these either have been retired or are available for sinking fund purposes.

"In February, 1936 all of the capital stock of the corporation owning and operating the Guggenheim Department Store in Lynchburg, Va., was acquired," Mr. Puckett told stockholders. "May, 1936, all of the capital stock of the Polk Realty Company was acquired. In September, 1936, all of the capital stock of the corporation owning and operating the Dey Brothers Department Store in Syracuse, N. Y., was acquired."

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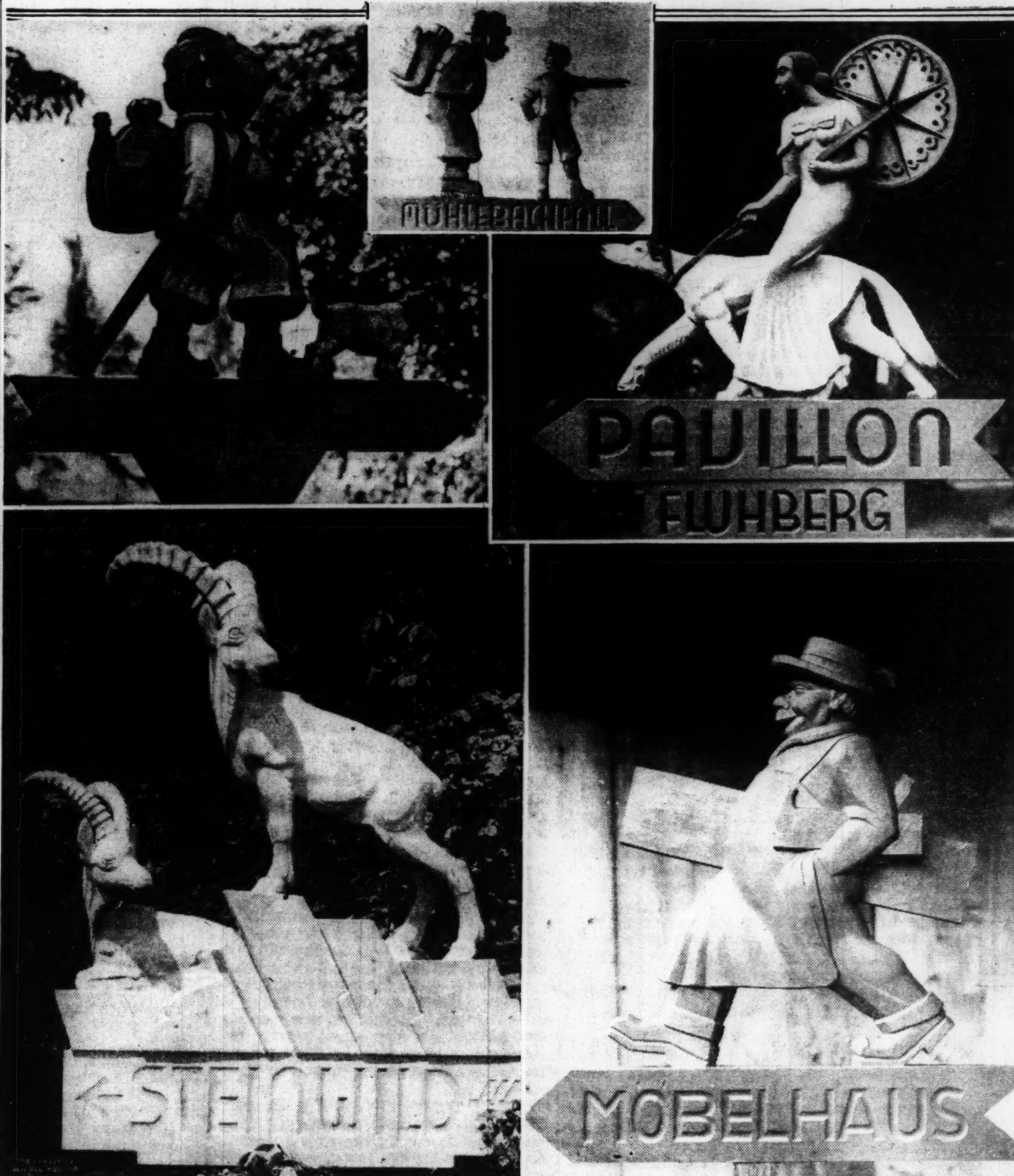






## Daily Features Page

## Woodcarvings Mark the Way in Switzerland



Monitor Camera Club from Miss Anne R. Wyler, Interlaken, Switzerland  
Ingenuity and Bold Design Are Included in These Clever Identification Signs Made at the Woodcarving School in Brienz

## "I Record only the Sunny Hours"



## Universal Language

Special to The Christian Science Monitor  
Waltham, Mass.

A business woman, having her dinner in a restaurant, noticed an interesting family at the next table. There were an attractive mother and father and two delightful little girls.

The business woman, Miss V., overheard them speaking in French, and having difficulty in making the waitress understand what they wished.

Miss V. had studied French at college, but had forgotten much of it. However, she stepped over to their table, smiling pleasantly, and explained that her French was almost as limited as the little family's English, but she thought she might help them a trifle.

At her approach, the little girls rose and made demure curtsies, then stood at polite attention. When a proper dinner had been ordered, Miss V. was going to return to her table, but the mother and father asked her if she would have her dessert served at their table; which she did.

With much good-natured amusement at their linguistic mutual efforts, a friendship blossomed, for kindness needs no translation.

Miss V. learned that the French family had just come to America, where the father was to be employed in highly specialized craftsmanship at a local factory. They were perplexed in finding a home, since they could not converse readily with the real estate man. Too, they did not know the neighborhoods, nor what kind of houses or apartments one might expect for a modest rental.

Miss V. reassured them. Her car was at the curb and at their disposal. During the afternoon, she found them a house in a neighborhood suitable for the little girls and convenient in location.

After promising that she would be their first guest in the new home, Miss V. returned to her office. Her reward was that, although she worked very hard in the afternoon, she found it impossible to become weary; a new testimony to the glow and strength from a good deed.

## Vocations

Readers of The Christian Science Monitor are invited to share in this column ideas that have brought supply. \$1 is paid for each item accepted.

## Railroad Cars

One man made for his small son a box on wheels, and painted it like a railroad car—with all the numbers and the name of the road, etc. Attached to the car was a strong handle for pulling the car about. This was found very useful for loading at night with the toys that had been used in the day's play. When summer came, it was handy to draw about the yard collecting toys here and there.

The man was asked to make more cars for other small sons, and thus he found he had a sideline added to his daily routine that brought in a needed addition to his small pay check.—M. S. Boone, Iowa.

By LE PELLEY

## Sunbonnet Sue



## In Lighter Vein

The Better Record

A traveler strolled up to a fisherman. "Having much luck?" he asked pleasantly. "Pretty good," replied the angler. "I haven't had a bite in three hours." "What's so good about that?" asked the amazed traveler. The angler pointed to another fisherman downstream. "You see that guy?" he exclaimed, "well, he hasn't had a bite in six hours!"—Grit.

## Finally

There was a man in our town. The chump thought he was wise. He swore (it was his policy) He'd never advertise; But, one day, he advertised. And thereby hangs a tale. His ad was set in six-point type And headed "Sheriff's Sale." —Phillyper's Bulletin.

## He Asked for It

Hobson: "I met Smith yesterday, looking very dismal. He told me he paid \$20 for his daughter's elocution lessons, and now he's sorry he did so." Timbs: "Why?" Hobson: "That girl now has all her own way, because she can talk him into anything!"—Philadelphia Bulletin.

## No Entertainment

Fischer, the famous oboe player, was once asked by a peer to his house to dinner, the peer saying, "Of course, you will bring your oboe with you." Fischer replied, "Thank you, my lord, but my oboe never sups."—Edinburgh Dispatch.

## Bible Facts

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## A Poetic Astronomer

During the course of his famous address on Mars Hill at Athens, the apostle Paul appears to make every effort to draw and hold the attention of his hearers, who seem to have had the greatest difficulty in keeping their minds for more than a moment on any one subject (cf. Acts 17:21). Thus we find him quoting the words of one of their own Greek writers, a certain Aratus, who lived about 300 B. C., just three and a half centuries before Paul appeared at Athens.

"As certain also of your own poets have said," cried the apostle, "We are also his offspring." (Acts 17:28), words which are directly quoted from the opening lines of a metrical treatise on Astronomy which Aratus composed. That Paul should thus show an acquaintance with the secular Greek literature of his day is not surprising in view of the fact that he spent many years of his life in Tarsus, itself a center of Greek learning and culture (cf. Foakes-Jackson and Lake: "Beginnings of Early Christianity"; Vol. V, pp. 246-251).

## Assurance

Be like the bird that, halting in her flight, Awhile in boughs too slight, Feels them give way beneath her, And yet sings, Knowing that she hath wings. —Victor Hugo.

## Motoroids

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## Quotation for Today

THERE are seasons when to be still demands immensely higher strength than to act.—CHANNING.

## Brevities

Lewisham and Catsford Guide: Children are natural mimics. They act like their parents in spite of every effort to teach them good manners.

Montreal Daily Star: A Londoner has walked 9500 miles in three years but the news doesn't say whether it stopped the baby from crying at night.

Atlanta Two Bells: Asked why he would not permit freedom of the press, Napoleon replied: "I fear three newspapers more than a hundred thousand bayonets."

Richmond Times-Dispatch: Then there was the commander in Madrid who gave the regiment a 15-minute fight talk, only to find that none of the boys spoke Spanish.

St. Louis Star-Times: How to reduce? Well, observe what the spring plowing does to a farmer's fat mules and horses.

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This game may be played by all ages.

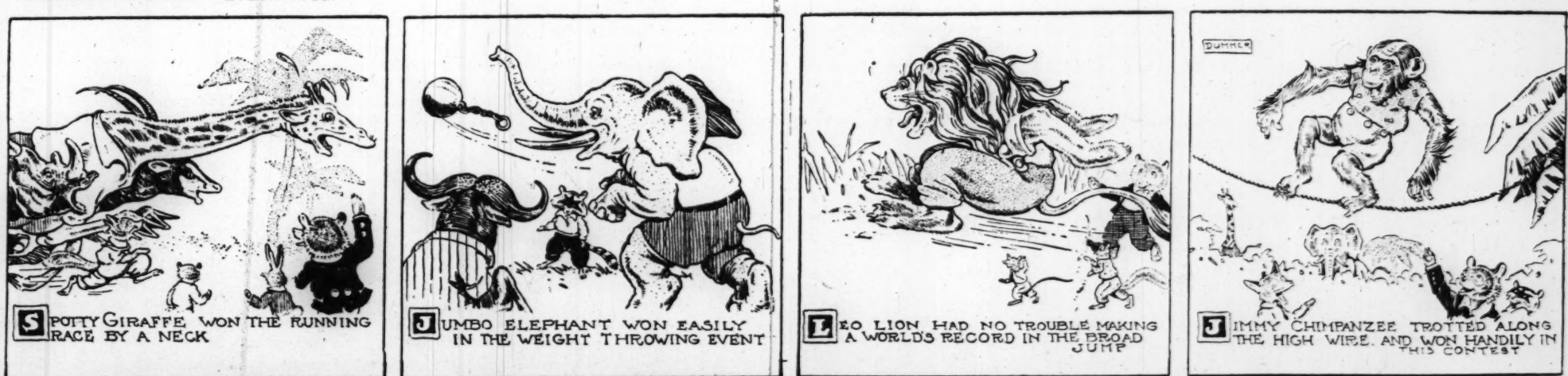
The players are seated in a circle close together. The leader, taking a cane or umbrella, strikes the floor at each word while he repeats, "All is well that ends well." He then changes the stick to his left hand, passes it to the player on his left, and asks him to do exactly as he has done and pass the stick to his left-hand neighbor.

Invariably all the players will watch closely and try to imitate the voice and manner of the leader, overlooking the change made from the right to the left hand when passing. Round and round goes the stick until all players have guessed the trick.—Mrs. W. B. Binghamton, N. Y.

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## Editorials

### Harmonizing Foreign Trade Policy

THERE is a school of thought in Britain which feels that British foreign trade policy is not helpful to world peace. That opinion was voiced recently by a deputation which waited upon Mr. Baldwin. In urging the Government to co-operate in improving international economic relations, it sought specifically to enlist British agreement with the "Oslo" nations, which are trying to form a low-tariff regional bloc. Mr. Baldwin, however, rejected the suggestion, saying that British policy was tied to bilateralism, not to regionalism. The inference has been read into his remark that he thus placed himself squarely back of Mr. Hull's "bilateral" trade policy.

The inference by no means follows from Mr. Baldwin's explanation. There are three separate types of foreign trade policy at present being advocated or pursued in the world. They differ in classification according to the area in which they are exclusive. According to this yardstick, the Oslo model is regional, the British bilateral, and the Hull multilateral.

The "Oslo" policy is sponsored by the group of nations stretching from Belgium north to Norway. This bloc is loosely called the Oslo group. These nations, despairing of another world conference at which the nations will initiate economic disarmament, propose to lower tariffs gradually among themselves. Thus the plan would be exclusive within a particular region.

Great Britain in its trade policy treats every country separately. And the agreements negotiated with each separate country are exclusive. For instance, the agreement with Poland provides that a certain quota of British goods must be purchased by Poland in return for British purchases in Poland. With Argentina the British have concluded another type of particular agreement. In view of the vast amount of British purchases in Argentina, the Argentines have pledged that British creditors shall have first call on the British money that the Argentine earns on those sales. Other agreements make similar provisions appropriate to the particular circumstances existing be-

tween the two negotiators. They are thus exclusive arrangements.

The misunderstanding arising out of the similarity that has been traced in Britain between the Baldwin statement and Secretary Hull's policy arises because Mr. Hull's policy is called bilateralism. But the essence of the Hull arrangements (in spite of certain minor exceptions) is that they have a multilateral, or world, application. When Mr. Hull exchanges tariff reductions with another nation, the reductions are not exclusive, but are "generalized" to all nations. For instance, when the United States agreed with Sweden to reduce its tariff on matches, all exporters of matches to the American market automatically enjoyed the reduction. In the Swedish market the reduction in duty on American automobiles was similarly "generalized" to all exporters of automobiles.

Those who believe that economic disarmament offers a new approach to world appeasement would do well to study how these conflicting types of policy can be harmonized. It is clear that the more successfully Britain signs up individual nations in exclusive relations, the less chance there is of Mr. Hull's policy being extended. Say that a nation engages itself in exclusive tariff arrangements with Britain in regard to a particular list of commodities. To that extent the nation's hands are tied in negotiating with Mr. Hull. For, in deference to its treaty with Britain, it cannot "generalize" the concessions exchanged with Britain.

British bilateralism is further from the Hull multilateralism than is the "Oslo" regionalism. This system, it is true, is exclusive within a region, but so far as can be made out from the meager reports about it, the door would be kept open to admit others, the price of admission being a willingness similarly to reduce tariff walls. The Oslo nations, indeed, seem to hope that their method will prove the best means of promoting economic disarmament over the entire world. Yet there can be no blinking the fact that impartiality and non-discrimination which underlie the Hull approach must be the cement of any return to world economic peace.

### Industry's Trial by Battle

AMID general satisfaction that the Chrysler strike has been settled, many ordinary folk must be wondering why agreement could not have been reached in the first place. Why this intentional addition to unemployment when so many men want to work? Why the loss of wealth that 65,000 men and modern machinery might have created in a month? Why strife and bitterness? If a solution was possible afterward, why not before?

It may be said that the union and the company had to try one another's strength, that they had to have a test of force before resorting to reason and conciliation. They had to take extreme and unfair positions in order to come together on a middle ground of justice, hard-headed people may say. But that is really no answer. It is only to say in other words that men are so brutish they prefer unfairness and unreason. Must we believe that? Is it only by the hard way that men learn? Can peacemaking come only after war?

We do not believe it. And surely one of the first steps out of the tooth-and-claw state is confidence that a better way is possible. The only sure foundation for such confidence is understanding the true spiritual nature of man. As that understanding grows, men conscious of brotherhood will make peace with assurance.

Already men seek to throw off the dominance of a belief that they can act only on materialistic, selfish motives. Already they recognize that peace can best be made before hatreds have hardened and indignations become inflamed in open conflict. Already they see that the cost of arming and fighting is often more than any possible gain. Already they have abandoned dueling as a means of agreement between individuals and trial by battle as a method of finding justice.

Will not the world a few years hence look upon strikes—if not upon war itself—as being in the same unintelligent outmoded class as duels and trial by battle?

### Bolts on Belgium's Door

IT IS not surprising that Belgium today should be seeking to redefine her position; to escape from some of the onerous responsibilities that have been thrust upon her; to reduce her commitments without being deprived of the support of her great neighbors. No one will begrudge her the new position resulting from King Leopold's visit to London.

With good reason her land has been spoken of as the "cockpit of Europe." On her soil more battles have been fought in the last 400 years than in any other equal area of the Continent. In the World War her country was occupied by an enemy for four years. Her "neutrality," guaranteed by the great powers since 1839, proved of no avail to her in 1914.

The system of mutual obligations and guarantees that has been contrived since then seems to her to be fraught with dangers not less formidable. She now feels she has a place outside the disputes of her neighbors; that she has been

released from some of her military commitments, and has surer guarantees of her independence and integrity. In his visit to England, King Leopold stated his case, and showed that the Belgian proposal was not so one-sided as at first it was supposed to be.

The position of Belgium has been fundamentally altered since 1926 by two factors—the rise of a heavily armed Germany, whose forces are no longer removed from her frontier by a demilitarized zone, and, secondly, by Germany's denunciation of the Locarno treaty.

Belgium was a participant in the staff talks which took place last April, and since then the impression has persisted that she would be involved in any defensive action that Britain and France might be compelled to take. Locarno, from being an instrument of security, appeared to her, on the contrary, a possible danger. An exchange of letters between Britain, France and Belgium will now give official release to Belgium from all obligations under Locarno, while Brussels, it is understood, will reaffirm all her obligations to the League of Nations.

All these questions Belgium is very happy to have settled before new commitments are discussed in any future negotiation of a western pact. Her supreme desire is to be left out of any future war.

### Caught With a Surplus

SURELY not since the days of King Midas has anyone faced a situation like that confronting the good people of Randall, Wisconsin. The sympathies of all budgeters, household as well as governmental, are touched with a quivering tenderness as the news of Randall's plight palpitates over the world's wires.

When people are prepared by foreknowledge of an event, or by experience, or by education, they may be expected to bear their problems alone. But Randall, it seems, did not know what was happening to it, and it is hardly within the experience of any of us "moderns" and certainly quite contrary to all our education, that a surplus of funds should lie like a burden on our affairs.

But thus it is in Randall. The town government finds itself with \$16,000 too much. Naturally the authorities do not know what to do with this unwelcome money. To the up-to-date mind there is something intangible, elusive and baffling about a presence of cash. A deficit now, that is something you can understand. You know what to do with a deficit. You can explain it, enlarge it, diffuse it, conceal it; but money will out. You can even use a deficit for election purposes by blaming it on the party just ousted, or by promising to reduce it. But you can't blame a surplus on anybody.

No doubt the rest of the world senses the concern with which Randall looks upon dollars it cannot find a way to spend. Quite comfortable themselves on divans downy with deficits, other communities nevertheless cannot rest while Randall pales before the nightmarish threat of a sinister surplus. No doubt if appealed to, its fellow communities would dispatch an army of veteran deficits to rescue Randall from a foe of progress in town finance.

### Desert Sideshow Book News of the Day

WEST of Death Valley is a smaller edition of it, the Panamint Valley; between the two rises a mountain chain, the Panamints; and in the Panamints is a practically solid mountain of ore. Stragglers from that ill-fated wagon train of 1849, the first Death Valley tourists, found it. It was discovered again (and lost again) as the Breyfogle Mine; as the Gunsight Mine; as the Mountain of Gold. It was discovered by men lost in the desert and by outlaws hiding out from officers. And in 1873 three prospectors found it again, staked bona fide claims, and organized it into a mining district.

Men came to it from the barren mountains and blazing valleys to the west, from the equally barren mountains and even more torrid valleys to the east. Some were honest prospectors who believed they had found a good thing. Some were gamblers and saloon men who knew they had. A few were professional bad men ever on the lookout for pastures new. Others were merchants in pursuit of legitimate business, and some were gentlemen whose recent activities indicated a temporary retirement. Some came on horseback, without inquiring too closely into the ownership of the horse. Others came on foot driving the ubiquitous loaded burro; others brought in their supplies and equipment on their own shoulders. The "strike" became a "camp," and its name was Panamint. It has figured often in song and story, but Neil C. Wilson's SILVER STAMPEDE (New York: Macmillan, \$3) would seem to be the first attempt at a comprehensive history.

But the camp failed to boom, as did most of the strikes of those days. The desert stood guard, with heat, sand, alkali, bad water and unbelievable grades. Not until a promoter interested Nevada's "silver senators," John P. Jones and William M. Stewart, did things begin to hum. These two scented another Comstock; they organized freight and stage lines, moved thousands of tons of supplies and machinery, put up an ore mill and actually began a railroad into the forbidding desolation. Stock companies were formed, the stock sold, the camp boomed; only one indication of permanent prosperity was conspicuously absent: Wells-Fargo refused to have anything to do with the scheme.

The boom was short-lived. The rock was hard, yields were not up to expectation, there was too much silver in the world, and a depression was in full swing. The parasites knew. And by the time that barren mountain, soaring a mile and more above the sinks of Death Valley, sent down a cloudburst to sweep the narrow gulch from wall to wall, it destroyed chiefly empty shacks. By 1875, Panamint was, except for a few walls and chimneys (standing even yet), as the '49ers found it.

Mr. Wilson, who gathered the story from old newspapers, manuscript collections and the lips of old-timers, suggests in his foreword that the camp never was more than a sideshow; and it would seem to have had its full quota of clowns, freaks and funny men. It is doubtful if there is a more hilarious collection of the peculiar mining camp brand of humor in existence than his book. Even the Senators joked; when Jones learned that two highwaymen planned to rob his bullion shipment, he sent it out in one wagon, with a lone driver. The robbers took one look at the loot; it consisted of four 450-pound cannon balls of solid silver. The driver gave them his lunch as consolation. K. C. K.

### One Sit-Down We're in Favor Of



### Under the Shadow of Big Ben

PARLIAMENT SQUARE which Big Ben overshadows, is now a dense forest of grand stands for the coronation procession, but the fine bronze statue of Abraham Lincoln at the Westminster Abbey end of the open space has been only partly shut out. So the figure of this most distinguished American will look out upon the great British national function.

It is a function of which Lincoln himself would probably have approved. This is because it stands, in the case of the British section of the English-speaking race, for that self-same national unity for which Lincoln's own fight was waged, where the American portion of the identical human family was concerned.

The presence of Lincoln's statue in Parliament Square, a place which is the temple of remembrance of many of the noblest of Britain's sons, is a tribute to this fact.

There has been talk of adding a similar effigy of George Washington to the series in Parliament Square, where it would fit in appropriately with the already existing one of Oliver Cromwell, who was another great liberator of the English-speaking race. Some day, no doubt, this project will materialize, for Washington and Cromwell played parallel parts in history. And never can those on both sides of the Atlantic who still use the language that was common to these two men, forget the traditions to which they all are equal heirs.

Americans are at home here. Recognition of this by United Kingdom folk places coronation visitors from the United States upon a different footing from that of arrivals from other foreign

states. For no other nation has the same hereditary possession in Britain's past.

It is true that the Ottawa agreements of 1932 gave to overseas nations of the British Commonwealth a favored position in the United Kingdom market as compared with that accorded to the United States.

But it is not without significance that in the discussions at this year's Imperial Conference—an Empire gathering which takes place here immediately after the coronation ceremony—emphasis is to be laid on defense and foreign affairs, rather than upon trade agreements. These facts indeed are under separate revision in new bilateral arrangements between Britain and the individual Dominions.

There is thus growing room for mutual agreements for helping Anglo-American trade.

This prospect is re-enforced by a notable speech just made in the House of Lords by the Marquess of Lothian, a peer who often blazes the trail for subsequent British public opinion. Lord Lothian emphasized that the Ottawa agreements were a mistake. "Although," he said, "we may point to the figures of so-called improvement of inter-imperial trade, the price we have paid for that is our own devastated areas." This has been, in his opinion, because the effect of Ottawa has been, not to increase the total of Britain's essential exports, but only to divert some of them to Empire markets, the loss, indeed, more than counterbalancing the gain.

Lord Lothian suggested that the time has come for the introduction of widely disseminated good will in international trade, as a means of reducing world tension generally. And his words cannot be without effect.

Two announcements just made here have brought long anticipated cabinet revision into the immediate political foreground. One is that Mr. Stanley Baldwin, who has hitherto occupied 10 Downing Street, the official residence of Britain's successive Prime Ministers, has now bought for himself an unofficial home in London. This home is 69 Eaton Square, a quarter of Mayfair known as "the Statesman's Sanctuary" from the number of distinguished men who have made it their place of retirement.

The other announcement is that Mr. Baldwin's Parliamentary constituency of Bewdley, Worcestershire, is looking for a new Conservative candidate to represent it in the House of Commons.

This means that Mr. Neville Chamberlain's succession to Mr. Baldwin is now very near.

Mr. Baldwin is expected to go into the House of Lords as a newly created earl when he leaves the Commons. An industrious Opposition interlocutor has seized the opportunity in Parliament to ask the Prime Minister whether the occasion has not now arrived for "a close season" of the granting of such honors. But it takes more than such artless tactics to disconcert the chief officer of the state. "If the honorable member were in my place," was the smiling reply, "he would find he could not consider that until after the coronation." The suggestion of "a close season," nevertheless, was not altogether without reason, for it appears that the House of Lords has had no less than sixty-seven new peers added to it in the six years since the present National Government came into power.

A new arrival at Westminster is Captain the Honorable W. Wedgwood Benn, Secretary for India in the Labor Government of 1929-31, who—thanks to the turn of a by-election—has recently got back into Parliament after several years' absence from that assembly. E. C. C.

### The Wide Horizon

#### If Not Parole, What?

(Excerpts From an Article, in Better Times)

By Joseph J. Canavan

Member, New York State Parole Board

IN New York State, parole is regularly pictured as a system of post-custodial authority over felons under which the State Board of Parole releases from prison hardened, vicious criminals before they have served even the minimum of sentence imposed upon them for the crime that sent them to prison.

The fact is that the parole law makes it absolutely impossible to release a man from State Prison until he shall have served the exact time fixed by the judge who sentenced him.

In New York State the only function possible of performance by the Parole Board is to lengthen the sentence imposed by the judge. The law absolutely prevents the Parole Board from shortening or reducing a sentence. It is a law-enforcement agency which has acted so rigorously that it has actually cut almost in half in the last two years the number of serious or vicious crimes—felonies—committed by men on parole. This reduction is especially true in New York City.

In New York State a second or third offender goes out of prison over and above the authority of the Parole Board. The Parole Board has no authority, either in law or otherwise, to release or to hold him; but the same law which thus releases the habitual criminal, grotesquely makes the Parole Board responsible for that criminal's conduct after he passes the prison gate, homeless, jobless, practically moneyless, and when it was the considered judgment of the board that he was unfit and dangerous to be returned to the community.

In New York State it is the law enforcement agency most hated by the unrepentant, unchastened, professional gangster or criminal, because he has learned the bitter lesson that neither shyster lawyer, professional bondsman nor racketeering "fixer" has been successful here in establishing either a bargain counter or a trading post.

Parole is a system of post-custodial authority designed to protect the community against the release from prison of felons free of all restraint whose mental attitude is that their completed sentence means a clear balancing of the books between society and them.

The philosophy upon which parole is based has never negated the importance of the supervisory function, which is necessary if the community is to be adequately protected against the potential malefactor. But there has been an enunciation of the concept that after a man has served a portion of his sentence he frequently reaches a stage where further incarceration will serve no useful purpose. Whatever adjustment effect was contemplated, has already set in. That man, therefore, can be readjusted within the community most profitably if he is permitted to serve the balance of his sentence, under supervision, outside the prison walls.

From the day of the inmate's release on parole, he must guide all his actions to conform with certain definitely stipulated parole regulations which establish the minimum requirements which will permit him to remain at liberty. These govern his residence, family relationships, employment, movement from city to city or state to state, marriage, automobile operation, abstention from alcoholics, association of communication with convicts, ex-convicts or persons of evil reputation. And the parole officer must exercise perpetual vigilance to assure himself and society that these regulations are not forgotten.

The present New York State parole law first became operative in the summer of 1930. Two years had gone by before the Civil Service finally equipped the board with a staff of trained workers who got their jobs solely as the result of competitive Civil Service examination. There is not one employee supervising paroled men who has not so qualified.

Beginning with 1934, statistics compiled under the new system and law began to give a picture of the work. In the New York district in that year administrative action by the board returned to prison 411 men who had not committed new felonies. They had violated parole by breaking one or another of the regulations listed above. In 1935 (with closer supervision afforded by means of an increase in staff of supervising officers allowed by Governor Lehman), 525 were returned for similar violations—not new felonies. . . . In the eleven months ended with November 30 last the returns had dropped (again with a second staff increase and still closer supervision) to 482.

Men on parole do not commit all of the felonies committed in this State. They do not commit a major part. The number they commit has been reduced. Every effort of the board, every ounce of its power and vigilance is being directed to reducing them further.

Parole is neither cure nor panacea for crime. Parole is a regulating, supervising agency which prevents a man from leaving prison, his whereabouts unknown, his conduct unregulated, his movements unwatched, his actions uncontrolled. That is what does occur when the felon serves his sentence in full and is discharged into society free to respond to his own impulses, be they good or evil.